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THE NEWS ABOUT TOWN

ITEMS OF INTEREST PICKED UP BY THE
NEWS MAN.

Mr. Leslie Mason of Portland was in
this village Tuesday.

Mr. C. E. Tolman of South Paris
was in Bethel Monday.

Mr. George Chapman of South Paris
was in town one day last week.

Mrs. L. E. Allen of West Bethel
visited friends here last Friday.

Miss Martha B. Dingley of Portland
is with her sister, Mrs. Bowler.

Mr. Charles Valentine is confined to
the house with the measles.

John Nelson has returned to Bethel
after a two weeks' vacation.

Mr. Charles Stearns went to Mechanic
Falls Friday to visit his daughter, Mrs.
Douglass.

Mr. Gilman Bradbury of Berlin was
in town Friday to attend the funeral
of Mr. Penley.

Mr. A. J. Haskell and family of West
Bethel have moved into Mr. Long's
house on Church street.

Mr. Tenney is working at West
Bethel putting a bath room in Mr. Fred
Ordway's house.

Francis Mills of West Bethel came
to Bethel Saturday to join Mrs. G. I.
Burnham's class of pupils in music.

Mrs. Flora Bennett and niece, Miss
Grace Chapman of Portland were called
to Bethel last week by the death of
Mr. Penley.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Stearns of South
Paris are to close their home and spend
the winter in Bethel with their daugh-
ter, Mrs. E. C. Park.

Mr. Frank Heath went to Wild
River hunting last Saturday and Mr.
Simon Brown has been filling his place
as engineer at the chair factory.

Mr. Albert Penley and Mr. Harold
Chapman of Auburn and Mr. and Mrs.
Proctor of Yarmouth attended the
funeral of Mr. Penley last Friday.

Miss Ellen Penley of Massa-
chusetts, who was called to Bethel last
week by the illness and death of her
brother, returned to her home Satur-
day.

The Bethel Manufacturing Company
have been putting an extension on their
engine room to better handle their
winter business, which bids fair to be
large.

Mr. Clifford Potter visited friends in
town over Sunday while enroute from
Kezar Falls to Vermont, where his
father, Rev. F. C. Potter has taken a
chance.

Mr. Ed Herriek recently shot a fine
buck with ten points. It was one of
the finest deer brought out this year.
Mr. Herriek was hunting near North-
west Bethel.

Mrs. Walter Foster and little Mild-
red were at Mr. Eli Stearns last Sat-
urday on their return from Aroostook
county, where Mrs. Foster visited her
parents.

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Hastings were in
Montreal, Quebec, last week. They
accompanied their nephew, Herbert
Hastings as far as that city on his re-
turn to his home at Roseburg, Oregon.

Mrs. T. J. Foster received news last
Wednesday of the death of her sister,
Mrs. Fred Flint, at her home in Strong.
Mr. Flint and family formerly resided
in Bethel, but for many years have
run a hotel at Wilson's Mills, where
many guests will recall their hospital-
ity. A year ago Mr. Flint sold the
hotel and purchased a farm in Strong.

Chester B. Cushman while employed
at the News office had one of his hand-
quite seriously injured in a press last
week. He was obliged to give up work
for a time and has returned to his
home in Montville.

At a meeting of the Bethel Soldiers'
Monument Association at Patten's
Hall last Tuesday evening, it was voted
to proceed at once to obtain specifica-
tions, prices, etc., for a monument and
the matter was left in the hands of
the trustees with instructions for im-
mediate action. It is the purpose of
the association to take the matter up
vigorously and keep it alive until the
work is completed and to this end the
co-operation of all is again solicited.

Dr. I. H. Wight and family spent
Sunday at Milan, N. H.

Mr. Fred Chandler of South Paris
was in Bethel Monday afternoon.

Miss Vivian Dingley is home from
her school in Gilead to spend a week
with her sister.

The Columbian Club will meet with
Mrs. A. E. Herriek Friday afternoon at
three o'clock.

Mr. E. C. Bowler and family are re-
joicing over the birth of a daughter,
Mary Ernestine.

A few finely bred R. Red Cockerels at
A. W. Grover's will be sold very rea-
sonably if taken soon.

The little baby son of Mr. and Mrs.
W. H. Young, who has been seriously
ill the past week with the measles, is
somewhat improved.

Inspection of Brown Relief Corps
Wednesday evening, Nov. 14th. Supper
served at 6 p. m. Will the Corps
members meet at the Hall at four
o'clock for rehearsal?

The Ladies' Club will meet with Mrs.
John Philbrook Thursday afternoon at
three o'clock. The subject given by
the committee is "Natural curiosities
in North America."

W. B. Kendall and W. C. Gary were
among Bethel's successful deer hunters
last week. They brought in a buck
and a doe, the former weighing 300
pounds and the latter 200.

The first of the regular winter socials
of the Epworth League of the M. E.
church will be held at the parsonage
on next Thursday evening, Nov. 15.
The Epworth Leaguers and friends are
most cordially invited.

The friends of C. W. Willey can ad-
dress him at Soutwell, California,
where he is located for the winter. His
health is good and he finds many old
comrades and makes many friends.

Bethel can usually boast of snow
about as early as any of her sister
towns, but the others stole the march
on her this year. It has come, how-
ever. About six inches fell Sunday
night. Wheels are still in use as there
was no frost in the ground and the
fall was therefore not sufficient to
make sleighing.

Last Wednesday evening, Nov. 7th,
Purity Chapter, No. 102, Order of the
Eastern Star, was visited by the Dis-
trict Deputy Grand Matron, Mrs.
Florence B. Rounds of Watford.
Following the exercises of inspection,
there were informal speeches, and re-
freshments were served. It was a
pleasant and profitable evening for all
present. While in Bethel, Mrs. Rounds
expressed much admiration for our
picturesque village and beautiful moun-
tain scenery.

DEATH OF MILTON PENLEY.

The community was shocked last
Wednesday morning to learn of the
death of Milton Penley. Mr. Penley
had been sick of the measles for the
past two weeks but had recovered to
such an extent that several days be-
fore his death he had been reported
as out of danger and improving. He
had a heart trouble, however, which
had been affecting him at times for
several years and this became some-
what aggravated during his illness, but
not to any alarming extent. On Tues-
day afternoon and evening he was re-
ported as being very comfortable but
bronchial pneumonia set in and he
dropped off very unexpectedly at six
o'clock Wednesday morning.

Mr. Penley had driven a meat wagon
in Bethel for about thirty years, had
also been deputy sheriff for many years
and was a man who was known and
who will be missed by all. The broken
circle, which consists of a widow and
adopted daughter, have the sympathy
of the entire community.

The funeral occurred on Friday and
was attended by Rev. C. N. Gleason.

Had a Close Call.

"A dangerous surgical operation, in-
volving the removal of a malignant ul-
cer, as large as my hand, from my
daughter's hip, was prevented by the
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W. Va. "Persistent use of the Salve
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Not Particular.

"These are hard lines," said the
tourist, wearily, as he paused to look
at the landscape. "Here I've climbed
to the top of this mountain and forgot
to bring my glasses with me."
"That's all right," said the guide.
"I'd just as soon drink from the bot-
tle."—Milwaukee Sentinel.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

Sunday morning the sermon theme
will be, "The Value of Sacrifice." Ser-
mon prelude, "Misrepresented Em-
ployees." Sunday school lesson, "The
Folly of Selfishness, or Lot's Choice of
Sodom."

Christian Endeavor meeting at 6:45
p. m. Topic, "How the Bible Con-
demns Intemperance." At this meet-
ing answers will be given to the
"Question Box" topic, "Young People
away from Home," and questions will
be received for the next meeting's
question box topic, which will be, "The
Courage required of Young People."

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH.

Sunday, November 18th, Preaching
at 10:45 a. m. Topic, "Faith, An In-
dispensable Factor in the Christian
Life." Text. Matt. 20:27. Sunday
school at 12 m. Y. P. C. U. at 7 p. m.
Topic, "Our Japan Mission."

A Union Thanksgiving service will
be held in the Universalist church at
10 a. m. Thursday, Nov. 29th. Mem-
bers of the different choirs are expected
to combine for an interesting program.
An early notice will be given for the
first rehearsal.

IN MEMORIAM.

News has been received of the death
of Mrs. Maria Holt Forbes, widow of
the late Wells Forbes, at her home in
Falls Church, Virginia, on October
29th, 1906.

Mrs. Forbes was the daughter of the
late Dea. Joseph and Susan Stearns
Holt, and was born in Bethel, Novem-
ber 20th, 1818. She was reared and re-
ceived her education in her native
town where she remained until Feb.
18th, 1848, when she was married to
Wells Forbes, and went to Hill, N. H.,
where their early married life was
spent. They later removed to Falls
Church, Virginia, where Mr. Forbes
died Aug. 8, 1880.

Mrs. Forbes is survived by one
daughter, Mrs. John Crossman of
Washington, D. C., and an adopted
daughter, the wife of Charles F. New-
man, who tenderly cared for her moth-
er during the last few years of her
life. She also leaves one brother, Mr.
Joseph Holt of Bethel. A sister, the
wife of Rev. Sumner Estes, died in
Feb. 1885.

Mrs. Forbes was baptized at the age
of 21, by Rev. Benjamin Donham into
the fellowship of the Baptist church
in Bethel, but later, with her husband,
united with the Congregational church
in Falls Church, Virginia, where she
was a highly esteemed member.

The funeral services were held at
her home church on Wednesday after-
noon, Oct. 31, conducted by her pas-
tor, Franklin Noble, D. D.

CARD OF THANKS.

We desire to express our deep ap-
preciation to the neighbors and friends
who rendered assistance and gave ex-
pressions of sympathy in time of our
bereavement; the pastor who offered
words of comfort and the friends who
contributed flowers as tokens of love
and esteem.

Mrs. Elizabeth Penley,
Miss Ellen P. Penley,
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Flint,
Miss Jeannette Brett.

LINGERS IN THE MEMORY.

Simple Words of "Now I Lay Me" Sel-
dom Forgotten.

If a census could be made, one
would probably be amazed at the vast
number of grown folks who close their
day with the unrevived "Now I lay
me."

Many of them make it the conclu-
sion of prayer involving more elaborate
petitions, prayer actually said as they
kneel at their bedside. Many, in sub-
conscious protest against the formal-
ism which dominates so much of the
public and private devotions of our
times, do not kneel, but they do not
forget the words they learned to lip
as babies.

Some, immersed in world affairs and
carrying their business cares and
worries into the real of their dreams,
may not consciously dwell to pray, but
they find their minds dwelling at mid-
night upon the familiar lines and they
are better men and women for that.

Such folks naturally resent the re-
cent suggestion of revision of the line
"If I should die before I wake." They
are not afraid for any terror by night,
and many of them, as they close their
eyes in final sleep, will give their last
thought to "Now I lay me."—Southern
Farm Magazine.

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every depositor in the Bethel Savings Bank, who has not made a deposit, or withdrawn
any part thereof, or any part of the dividends thereon, for a period of more than 30
years next preceding November 1, 1906, and is now not known to the treasurer to be
living.

Name of Depositor.	Last Known Residence.	Whether Known to be Deceased.	Date of Last Deposit or Withdrawal.	Amount Stand- ing to Credit.
George B. Flint	Colebrook, N. H.		Sept. 26, 1879	\$ 21.78
Robert W. Gray			Jan. 1, 1875	106.85
Hattie C. Clark	Bethel, Me.	Dead	Sept. 1, 1875	2.65
Fred A. Fifield			May 14, 1879	6.65
Mary P. Tenney		Dead	Feb. 27, 1880	51.38
Henry M. Turner			Oct. 21, 1883	1.83
Minnie K. Jordan	Newry, Me.		Feb. 21, 1884	6.01
Robert C. Carter	Bethel, Me.	Dead	Sept. 1, 1886	20.44

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT.

(Adopted by Upton Grange, Oct. 21, 1906.)

Whereas, Our Heavenly Father has, in His infinite wisdom, removed from among us another of our charter mem-
bers, our Worthy Master, Joseph E. Brooks, to record our appreciation of his loyalty to our Order and fidelity in the discharge of his duties as an of-
ficer and member, be it

Resolved: That in the passing of Brother Brooks, Upton Grange has lost one of its most faithful and efficient members whose place there is none to fill, but whose example will be a source of inspiration to us all.

Resolved: That the removal of such a life from our midst will prove a serious loss, not only to the members of his family to whom we extend our deepest sympathy, but also to the community in which he held a promi-
nent place.

Resolved: That a copy of these res-
olutions be spread upon the records of this Grange, a copy printed in a county paper, and a copy sent to the be-
reaved family.

LOUISA A. WEST,
RONALD BURKE,
ADELIA V. MORSE.
Committee on Resolutions.

A TRIBUTE.

We who are present tonight, as we join in adopting this memorial to our beloved brother, Joseph E. Brooks, in the quiet of our thoughts and in the friendly interchange of feeling, one with another, offer this tribute of reverence as an outward sign of our love and respect to him whose kindly and generous heart was shown to us in many ways. We offer this in commem-
oration of the close and beautiful relation between Mr. Brooks and Upton Grangers in this, his dear old birth town. Here he stood at the gates of life, and the greater portion of his years were spent among us from his birth and baptism to the passing over we call death. He won our affections by his quick sympathy. As a story-teller he was very interesting, and the people who have ever had the privilege of listening to a story told by him would almost seem to be one of the actors. But he has gone; we miss his pleasant smile and kind words, and we remember him gratefully as we meet here tonight.

Dear brother thou hast left us, But our loss is thy gain. Oh, sadly we miss thee, Thou wilt ne'er come again. From the Grand Army ranks to the silent grave

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Maurice Tyler shot a buck deer last Saturday.

George Spinney from Albany was at Fred Mundt's last Sunday.

A. B. Grover has reshingled his buildings.

Miss Ellie Tyler was the guest of friends in the place last week.

Mrs. Dora Whitman from Kansas, recently visited her brother, A. L. Whitman.

Mrs. I. A. Paine sewed for Mrs. A. B. Grover, last week.

Those who have been ill with the measles are convalescing rapidly.

Freeland Bennett has sold his faithful horse, "Tib," which he raised and has kept for so many years to Hector Chesson.

Quite a heavy snow storm Sunday night and Monday.

School on the Flat is suspended on account of the serious illness of Miss Florence Skillings' mother.

Miss Rachel Maybrey has had quite extensive repairs made on her build-
ings this fall.

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Oriskany	4.00	8.20
Oriskany	4.25	8.40
West Bethel	4.38	8.50
Bethel	4.46	9.00
Leekes Mills	—	9.10
Bryant Pond	5.05	9.18
South Paris	5.36	9.44
Lewiston	6.40	10.45
Portland, arrive	7.30	11.40

TRAINS GOING WEST.

	A.M.	P.M.
Portland, leave	8.15	1.30
Lewiston	9.05	2.25
South Paris	10.07	3.26
Bryant Pond	10.34	4.05
Leekes Mills	10.41	4.15
Bethel	10.50	4.25
West Bethel	10.57	4.35
Oriskany	11.07	4.51
Oriskany	11.30	5.20

Island Pond, 1.30 7.30 12.40
P.M.
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Increase of Knowledge Among Farmers Means Better Farming.

Recently some have expressed the idea that the people living in the country are not increasing in information relative to the scientific handling of stock and the methods in vogue among scientists in the cultivation of the soil. This is a mistake, says Farmers' Review. Agricultural science is gaining among our farmers and is destined to gain more rapidly as the years go on. It was natural that at first the progress should be slow. A body of 5,000,000 persons is not to be moved in a hurry. It is an aggregation of human beings so vast that no one can conceive of its real import.

It must be remembered, too, that at first the means for affecting this great mass and moving it were very meager. When our agricultural colleges were organized there were few men capable of acting as instructors, for the universities of the country had not been fitting men to teach agricultural science. In many cases men had to be taken out of the fields and the creameries to teach in the colleges. While they had a great deal of practical information, they had not studied systematically the mass of agricultural information that had been accumulated, and were but poorly prepared to teach it.

It is only within the past 15 years that most of our agricultural colleges have been well enough equipped to become aggressive. Now, however, the material for teachers and instructors is abundant and great work is being done. That the farmers are being reached is demonstrated by the increasing attendance at farmers' meetings and in the agricultural colleges. Information is being spread rapidly by word of mouth. Complaint is made that the bulletins issued by the stations are not widely read by the farmers. This is because it takes something of a student to take literary matter and really absorb it, making it into something having force. But in each locality are a few men that have this ability and they spread the information by word of mouth and by example.

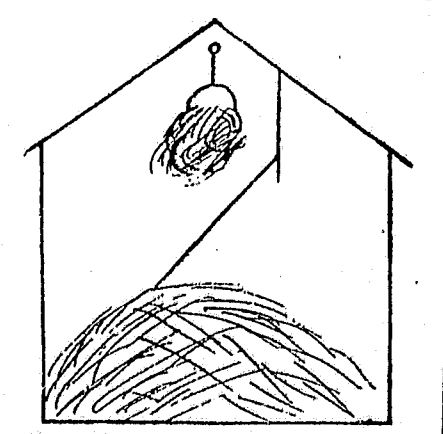
There are numerous factors that are operating to bring about a better condition in the not distant future. One of these factors is the taking of more interest in agriculture by the men that have money and at the same time have a fair knowledge of farming matters. These men are buying farms and are putting into practice on them modern methods of agriculture. The farms so handled become object lessons. Other farmers follow the lead of the most enterprising, unless they lack the will and the ability to learn. There are some of the latter class, but they are destined to disappear during the next generation or two, for the reason that others will buy their farms, which will have become unprofitable to the present owners.

It is becoming increasingly difficult to farm without thought and still make money. Farmers must make more money from their farms to-day than they used to, because they have more expenses. The expenses cannot be avoided, and must increase as population becomes denser and the price of land higher. With the increase of knowledge of how to handle land, farmers will be able to balance the increasing expenses with increasing returns.

SPREADING HAY IN MOW.

Simple Device by Which the Hump in Center is Avoided.

I put my hay in barn by large hay fork, which runs on track. writes a correspondent of Rural New Yorker. The hay naturally falls in the center, and is hard to mow away. I nailed a dozen inch boards together with cross pieces on under side, and hung



For Distributing Hay in Mow.

as per diagram. When the forkful reaches the slide, the man above notifies the man on load to trip fork, and it slides to desired location. When one side has enough, slide is reversed.

The Best Farms.

The best farms are those that yield the best returns with the least labor. Sometimes the best farms have been brought up to that condition by hard work on the part of their old owners, who had the intelligence and the honesty not to deplete them of the fertility in them. More than one farm that was once good has become unprofitable through neglect. The better a farm is kept up the easier will it be to work it, for its soil will be mellow because of its abundant humus and fertility. The best farms are now being pointed at as models by which to measure all farms, but they have been kept good by their owners not requiring too much of them.

Keep the berry bushes clean of weeds this month, but in order to discourage late growth, avoid cultivation as much as possible.—Farm Journal.

STATE OF MAINE.

OXFORD SS.
To the Sheriff of our County of Oxford, or either of his Deputies,
Greetings:—We command you to attach the goods and estate of Daniel Russell of Rumford in our County of Oxford to the value of twenty dollars, and summon the said defendant, (if he may be found in your precinct) to appear before the Judge of the Norway Municipal Court of the town of Norway, in said County of Oxford, to be held at the Municipal Court Room in said Norway, on the first Tuesday of August, A. D. 1906, then and there, in said Court in answer unto Consider F. Farrar of Woodstock in our said County of Oxford.

In a plea of the case for that the said defendant, at Woodstock, viz at said Norway, on the day of the purchase of this Writ, being indebted to the plaintiff in the sum of six dollars, and ninety-three cents, according to the account annexed, then and there, in consideration thereof, promised the plaintiff to pay the same on demand.

(Daniel Russell to Consider Farrar Dr., June 26, 1906. To 99 lbs. of beef at \$7.00 per hundred, furnished in 1903, \$6.93.)

Yet, though often requested, said defendant has not paid the same,—to the damage of said plaintiff (as he says), the sum of twenty dollars, which shall then and there be made to appear, with other due damages. And whereas, the said plaintiff says that the said defendant has not in his own hands and possession goods and estate to the value of twenty dollars aforesaid which can be come at to be attached; but has entrusted to, and deposited in the hands and possession of Mary Thompson of said Woodstock in said County of Oxford, Trustee of the said defendant, goods, effects and credits to the said value. We Command You, therefore, that you summon the said Trustee (if she may be found in your precinct), to appear before said Judge of said Court, to be held as aforesaid, to show cause, if any she has, why execution be issued upon such judgment as the said plaintiff may recover against the said principal defendant in this action (if any) should not issue against his goods, effects, or credits, in the hands and possession of, her, the said Trustee.

And have you there this Writ, with your doings therein.

Witness, Herriek C. Davis, Esq., Judge of said Court, at Norway aforesaid, this twenty-sixth day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and six.

Herriek C. Davis, Judge.

STATE OF MAINE.

OXFORD SS.

Upon the foregoing writ: It is ordered that the plaintiff notify said defendant of the pendency of this action by causing an attested copy of this writ with this order of Court thereon to be published three weeks successively in the Bethel News, a paper printed in Bethel in said County, the last publication to be fourteen days at least before the December term of said Court to be held at said Norway on the first Tuesday of December 1906 to the end that said defendant may then and there appear and show cause why judgment should not be recovered against him in said action.

Herriek C. Davis, Judge.

A true copy of writ and order thereon. Attest,

Herriek C. Davis, Judge.

Combination Works Well.

Formerly milk producers in England were at the mercy of wholesale dealers or middlemen. By judicious combination in various places they have been able to secure uniform and equitable prices, securing to individual members extra profits up to \$200 a year.

Imagination and Baldness.

Dr. Emil Reich's theory of baldness is that it is due to the stifling of the imagination. Use your imagination, and you will never use hair restorer. The London Globe remarks that it certainly is significant that one never sees a baldheaded policeman giving evidence in a speed limit case.

Mound Builders' Monument.

The greatest monument of the mound builders, not only in Ohio, but in the entire country, is the Serpent mound, in Adams county. This immense mass of earth, probably piled for purposes of worship, has had a curious history in respect to changes of ownership in recent times.

Spiritualist at Fault.

It was stated at a spiritual seance at Zurich that \$4,000 recently stolen from the station lay in a guard's house, but when the money was not found the guard brought action against the spiritualist, who was ordered to make a public apology and to pay \$12 damages.

Abyssinian Jews.

Modern ethnologists are inclined to hold that the "black Jews" such as are to be found in central Abyssinia and elsewhere are not of Hebrew descent, but simple peoples that at some remote time adopted the Jewish religion.

DIETS AND THE DOCTORS.

Scarcely an article of Food That is Not Condemned.

With what the vegetarians who eat no meat and the rheumatic sufferers who eat no fruit and the gouty who takes no nitrogen if they knew it and the dyspeptics who eat only foodless foods, life stands to lose one of its chief joys, a square meal, says the Medical Journal. And it is not quite true that instinct rises superior to theory and that after all people eat what is good for them. Readers and thinkers are deeply influenced by chemical symbols and it is not rare for a pallid dyspeptic of the morose tendencies to endeavor to practice the economies of metabolism ingeniously set forth by some of the physiological chemists. It is high time somebody raised a voice in protest, for surely no people stand so little need of this counsel as do ours. Our hustling population requires a good deal of nutriment and is suffering from lack rather than repletion.

As a race possibly we have not lived long enough in America to be thoroughly acclimated. * * * We speak of the effete populations of Europe, but no one who has seen them would ever call the European peoples effete, and the impression is ineffaceable that what we need here is better cooked food and more of it, rather than the diet of fads that now captivate our nervous countrymen. It would certainly be difficult to construct any scheme of diet on which the profession would agree.

There is scarcely an article but finds condemnation somewhere among us. The banana, dear to childhood, is denounced by the paediatricist as unwholesome, though whole populations live upon it; while no printed diet list would include pork and bacon, which Dr. Woods Hutchinson insists are the keystones of our national greatness. Even in the dietetics of disease—this rather than health being our chosen realm—utter confusion and disagreement reign. Chemical formulas of horrifying elaboration lead one to condemn red meat in gout, another to pronounce it a nutriment readily assimilable and easily disposed of. And the quarrels over foodstuffs permit the more venial superstitions and absurdities of a much best lalty. First of all, brethren, shall we not cast out the beam that is in our own eye?

TYPICAL INDIANS.

The Average Person So Considers Northwest Plains Tribes.

The northwest plains Indian is, to the average person, the typical American Indian, the Indian of our school-day books—powerful of physique, statuesque, gorgeous in dress, with the bravery of the firm believer in predestination, says Scribner's Magazine. The constant, fearless hunting and slaughtering of the buffalo trained him to the greatest physical endurance, and gave an inbred desire for bloodshed. Thousands of peace-loving, agricultural living Indians might climb down from their cliff-perched homes, till their miniature farms, attend their flocks, and at night time climb back up the winding stairs to their home in the clouds, and attract no attention. But if a fierce band of Sioux rushed down on a hapless emigrant train the world soon learned of it.

The culture of all primitive peoples is necessarily determined by their environment. This, of course, means that all plain tribes—though speaking a score of languages—were, in life and manner, broadly alike. They were buffalo hunting Indians, and only in rare cases did they give any attention to agriculture. Buffalo meat was their food, and the by-products of their clothing, tools and implements.

The plains tribes in earlier times were certainly true nomads. For a time, in the depths of winter, they camped in the shelter of some forest along the streams. Other than that, wherever roamed a herd of buffalo there also wandered the bands of northern Indians. The very existence of these tribes seemed bound to that of the buffalo. From the skins their lodges were built. With the hair on the hides furnished the robes for the body, as well as mattresses and bed coverings. The meat, prepared in many ways, with the addition of a few roots and berries, furnished their entire food. Advancing civilization has swept these countless herds from the face of the plains and left their human companions stranded.

The Land of Suspicion.

"I am beginning to have my doubts about that press censor," said one Russian official.

"He seems perfectly reliable," said the other.

"Yes. But he has so many chances to read facts and figures that his loyalty is bound to be shaken sooner or later."

Early Hours.

The Man—Are you and your sister having a pretty gay time this summer?

The Girl—Not very. Why, we've eaten breakfast with the family twice this week!

After a heavy meal, take a couple of Doan's Regulents, and give your stomach, liver and bowels the help they will need. Regulents bring easy, regular passages of the bowels.

Dyspepsia of Women

Caused by Female Disorders and Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

A great many women suffer with a form of indigestion or dyspepsia which does not seem to yield to ordinary treatment. While the symptoms seem to be similar to those of ordinary indigestion, yet the medicines universally prescribed do not seem to restore the patient's normal condition.



Mrs. M. Wright

Mrs. Pinkham claims that there is a kind of dyspepsia that is caused by a derangement of the female organism, and which, while it causes a disturbance similar to ordinary indigestion, cannot be relieved without a medicine which not only acts as a stomach tonic, but has a peculiar tonic effect on the female organism.

As proof of this theory we call attention to the case of Mrs. Maggie Wright, Brooklyn, N. Y., who was completely cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound after everything else had failed. She writes:

"For two years I suffered with dyspepsia which so deranged the entire system that I was unable to attend to my daily duties. I felt weak and nervous, and nothing that I ate tasted good and it caused a disturbance in my stomach. I tried different dyspepsia cures, but nothing seemed to help me. I was advised to give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial, and was happily surprised to find that it acted like a fine tonic, and in a few days I began to enjoy and properly digest my food. My recovery was rapid, and in five weeks I was a well woman. I have recommended it to many suffering women."

No other medicine in the world has received such widespread and unqualified endorsement or has such a record of cures of female troubles, as has Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Glasses for Sensitive Eyes.

Eyeglasses slightly tinged with an orange-yellow, are said by a French expert, Dr. Motals, to be peculiarly agreeable and soothing to feeble or oversensitive eyes. Patients who cannot use blue or smoked glasses see well with these.

Great Magician's Career.

Alexander Herrmann was of German parentage, but Paris was his birthplace. He made his professional debut as a musician at the age of eight years in St. Petersburg, Russia. He died in 1896.

Busy New York Post Office.

Receipts of the New York post office are far ahead of those of any other office in the world, for the same extent of territory. At the present rate, for this year, they will be about \$17,000,000.

Custom of Shaving is Old.

The origin of the custom of shaving the face is lost in antiquity. The Greeks and Romans had public shaving places in connection with their baths.

Marriage Statistics.

Of every 1,000 females over 15 years old, 497 are unmarried in Ireland, 395 in England, and only 45 in India, where child marriages are still in vogue.

Theaters Use Gramophones.

Gramophones are used in English theaters to give the "stage shouts," thus saving expense and insuring volume of sound.

Forest's Rapid Growth.

London has purchased Hainault Forest for a new park. In 1857 about 100,000 trees were felled here, but there is a new growth of 30,000.

Record for Anchors.

The largest anchor ever made weighed 26,500 pounds, and cost nearly \$10,000.

England's One Thatched Church.

The only thatched church in the United Kingdom is at Markby, a little village three miles from Alford, Lincs.

Adulterants in Opium.

Among the adulterants of opium used in India are sangzira, amul, bang, strychnine and black sand.

A Good Record.

Out of all the external remedies on the market we doubt if there is one that has the record of that world-renowned porous plaster—Allegre's. It has now been in use for sixty years, and still continues to be as popular as ever in doing its great work of relieving our pains and aches. It is the remedy we all need when suffering from any form of ache or pain resulting from taking cold or over-exertion. Allegre's Plasters are sold by Druggists in every part of the civilized world.

STILL ROOM FOR IMPROVEMENT

American Farmer Learning to Do Profitable Dairying.

In a recent conversation with the writer, Prof. Fraser said that the American farmer has not learned how to make the most out of his land and has not yet acquired the ability to make as much out of his cows as some of the European dairymen do. He declares that it is easily possible for the American cow owner to make twice as much milk and cream out of it as the average cow makes. This is a fourfold increase of the returns from an acre of land.

There is no doubt that the professor is right and that we can accomplish four times as much as we are doing now and with the same general expenditure. This is a remarkable statement, but it is one easy to prove. The average cow is a poor specimen of the bovine race, making less than 150 pounds of butter in a year. It is not a great stretch of the imagination to see every cow giving milk enough to produce at least 300 pounds of butter per year, or all cows giving enough to bring the average up to that point.

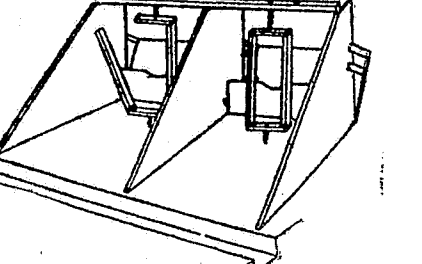
On the other hand, it is not an extravagant thing to believe that this time is coming when the average acre of land will produce twice as much forage as at the present time. In this country we have had such a superabundance of land that we have fallen into the habit of using it wastefully. Some of the pastures are in the condition in which they were when the timber was cut off. The soil has never been turned, and the wild grasses are the only ones to be found. It takes a good many acres of such land to support a cow, especially in a dry summer, such as this has been in some sections devoted to dairying.

It will require many years yet to awake our cow owners to the real conditions as they exist and to compare them with the conditions that may exist. Could we drop some of these cow owners down into the fields of Holland or Denmark, the impression might be sooner made. To do profitable dairying requires a weeding out process in our methods. The method that has been followed for two centuries of pasturing cows on any kind of pasture nature may give us should be abandoned. The old natural pasture does not produce enough feed even when it is not overstocked, and it is frequently so badly overstocked that it will not produce as much as it might.

A HALF STALL FOR COWS.

Arrangement Which Some Dairymen Prefer to Old-Style Stalls.

Where a dairymen desires to use a cow's stall with stanchion and a half partition, the accompanying illustration will furnish a suggestion that may be valuable. Some have complained of the danger of cows stepping



Cow Stalls with Half Partitions.

ping on each other with the half partition, but such accidents occur in exceptional cases only. The standing room for the cow varies according to the size of the animal, says Prairie Farmer, but there should be sufficient space so that the cow will not be obliged to step back into the gutter, and at the same time have space limited so that the droppings will readily fall into the gutter. For medium to large cows about five and one-half feet from the standing space is recommended.

SKIMMINGS.

American farmers should feed more bran.

The hand separator is now very popular and profitable.

Alfalfa will greatly change the cost of milk production.

If a man would have a first-class herd of cows he should raise them himself.

The pioneer always finds the cow a great help in obtaining food in an unsettled country.

A cow should not always be judged by what she is doing, but by what she might do if given a proper chance. The average of our cows is too low in quality. We can improve it by continually disposing of the poorest.

Many a calf that would make a valuable cow is sent to the butcher because the owner could sell his milk at a good price.

Growth of Dairying.

The growth of dairying in all the civilized nations of the world during the past 25 years has been very great. The increase of population in the nations has made it desirable to produce concentrated foods that will keep for a long time. Dairy products in some of their forms can be kept for a long time, and up to a certain limit the keeping improves their digestibility. The development of dairying has been largely in the countries having a temperate climate, but the industry is gradually working toward the torrid regions. In the latter localities the problems connected with the keeping of milk are greater than in the colder localities, but the problems of feeding are fewer. The south will yet engage largely in dairying.

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THE HOME CIRCLE.

Phasant Evening Reveries—A Column Dedicated to Tired Mothers as They Join the Home Circle at Evening Tide.

Discontent is the peg in your shoe that hurts.

A woman's smile is the little poem we find in the prose of life.

If everyone was as good as they think their neighbors ought to be, what a splendid world this would be.

Isn't it better to say to the boy when you want him to do something, "I wish you would," and not, "You must?"

When, at eve, at the bounding of the landscape, the heavens appear to recede so slowly on the earth, imagination pictures beyond the horizon an asylum of hope, a native land of love; and nature seems silently to repeat that man is immortal.

Toward the cheerful home the children gather "as clouds and as doves to their windows," while from the home which is the abode of discontent, strife and trouble, they fly forth as vultures to rend their prey. The class of men who disturb and distress the world, are not those born and nurtured amid the hallowed influence of Christian homes, but rather those whose earthly life has been a scene of trouble and vexation—who have started wrong in the pilgrimage, and whose course is one of disaster to themselves and trouble to those around them.

A single bitter word may disquiet an entire family for a whole day. One early glance casts a gloom over the household, while a smile, like a gem of sunshine, may light up the darkest and weariest hours. Like unexpected flowers, which spring up along our path, full of freshness, fragrance and beauty, do kind words and gentle acts and sweet dispositions, make glad the home where peace and blessing dwell. No matter how humble the abode, if it be thus garnished with grace and sweetened with kindness and smiles, the heart will turn lovingly toward it from all the tumult of the world, and it will be the dearest spot beneath the circuit of the sun. The influences of home perpetuate themselves.

A home that is not a home is a school of vice. Domestic love leads to all noble virtues, but discord or coldness in the home genders selfishness and badness. Despotism in the family is the most common and worst in all the earth. Family government is not parental tyranny. Government is good, loving, cordial, helpful, joyous; its yoke easy and burden light; but parental tyranny is harsh, exacting, cruel, discouraging and gendereth meanness. We have fairs to improve mechanism, stock, farming and fine arts; measures to improve homes are a thousand times more important. Here is where the right kind of men are made.

Borrowing Trouble.

It is uncomfortably true that there is almost as much distress of mind in the anticipation as in the realization. About half of our unhappy days are occasioned by our looking forward to the unhappiness of the other half. "Sufficient unto the day is the evil thereof." We need never take another jet on credit. In borrowing trouble natural laws are reversed; more molehills of annoyance become mountains, when viewed at a distance ahead. Some persons never take actual comfort. In tranquil times the dread of a coming change is always in the way of their enjoyment.

If we take things as they come, we shall usually find that they come much better than we have any right to expect. Our anticipatory flag may have been inviting compassion, and flinging patches of darkness over many a bright scene for months, only to find that we have been guilty of needless, we might say criminally, robbing ourselves and others of the happiness rightfully belonging to us and to them. "Borrowing trouble" is sometimes only another name for selfishness; for the one borrowing trouble is seldom satisfied, unless all within his or her influence are inveigled into the toils. It is holding a dangerous serpent in our heart, which grows with what it feeds upon. It is sinful, for it is an abiding distrust of God's goodness.

Stored Sunshine.

Some writer has given us thought. In the seasoned firewood put away for winter use is stored our sunshine for the dark days that are coming. When sombre clouds hide the sunlight of heaven from us, and the cold winds sweep a landscape that is drear and naked, it is to our firesides that we turn for warmth and light. During the glorious summer time we should not forget the dark days that are coming, nor neglect to provide for use "stored sunshine" in dry and seasoned firewood.

When our lives are bright and prosperous, let us sometimes think of the dark days that must come, and in the storehouse of memory treasure some of the sunshine that now surrounds us, to cheer the days that are without its warmth. Thoughts of the happy past with its love and pleasure, will drive the gloom from hours that otherwise will be dark, for, "The memory of things precious keepeth warm the heart that once did hold them." When "The melancholy days are come The saddest of the year" and all is gray and dismal out-of-doors let the home sunshine be brightest, and the contrast between the inner and the outer world as pleasing as possible. Let the "stored sunshine" of our firewood that leaps cheerfully up the chimney, be augmented out of the superabundance that has been given us in the summertime of life. Though the days may be dark, either from leaden clouds or the shadow of sorrow, we may dispel the gloom by stored sunshine, if we are as wise as Nature.

MOOSE FOR NEW ZEALAND.

Canada Will Send a Herd to the Antipodes.

An interesting attempt is to be made to acclimatize the moose in New Zealand, and steps are being taken in the dominion to collect a herd of both sexes for shipment to the antipodes.

The moose is a magnificent animal, but, like all beasts of its size, certain to become extinguished at the hands of man in any country where it is not protected.

To say that the bull moose has the heart of a lion would be but to compliment the lion. If the lion had the heart of a bull moose he would be a terrible thing indeed.

But often the courage of the moose assists in his destruction, and his strength is of no use to him against modern rifles. Both in Canada and in the American states, where the noble animal is still to be found, measures more or less adequate have been taken for its preservation; but if its range can be extended, the danger of extinction will be by so much reduced. Science, as well as New Zealand, will be interested in the experiment.—Country Life.

Questions Worth Answering.

Col. Sanger's bloodhounds, when they found three-year-old Raymond Dowd in Nine-mile swamp, near Sangerfield, Otsego county, gathered around the boy and licked his face. The child wandered away last Friday when his father was picking hops. An all-night search by 300 men was fruitless. Lanterns were carried and fires built to attract the lad's attention, but he gave no sign. Saturday morning the four bloodhounds arrived. After sniffing of a jacket belonging to the lost boy they began searching for his tracks and soon found them. Following a circuitous course, estimated to be ten miles long, they came upon the child lying at the foot of a tree, exhausted from hunger and exposure. There was a tremendous demonstration when one of the horsemen took the boy home perched on the pommel of a saddle, and the dogs came in for their share of the ovation.

Famous St. Bernard Dogs.

Motor cars have been adopted by the monks of St. Bernard, which innovation has caused some people to wonder if the dogs of that famous hospice will be replaced in the life-saving business by automobiles. St. Bernard dogs, whose ancestors are believed to be a Danish bulldog and the shepherd's dog of the Alps, were threatened with extinction in 1812, when, contrary to the rules, the mother dogs were sent out to the dreaded pass. None returned from the terrors of the winter storm and the monks had to seek a new race, which, although not of the ancient strain, was found to be no less intelligent than its blue-blooded cousins. The new dog with its Newfoundland blood very soon became extremely popular.

Flattering the Judge.

Uncle Solon Chase, of Chase's Mills, Me., famous throughout the country as the expounder of the "them steers" doctrine, is as famous locally for his rough-and-ready appearance. He is what some would call plain. On one occasion his friend, Judge Foster, of Portland, who never loses a chance to banter Uncle Solon, met him at the local grange, and said: "Uncle they tell me that you and I look almost exactly alike when we are before the public." Uncle Solon touched the judge in a friendly way and said: "Don't you believe them, judge; don't you believe them. They are only trying to flatter you."

Teach Children Gardening.

A course which is designed to fit teachers to conduct children's gardens is presented in the summer school of the New York university. There are several gardens laid out for the use of pupils in and around New York city, but the authorities are at a loss to find men and women trained to conduct them. The phenomenal growth and success of this work in Philadelphia has led to an extension of school gardening in many cities.

DIAMONDS OUT OF SPACE.

Samples Mined on Earth Fragments of Immense Meteorites.

The only real perfect diamonds which are to be found on this globe are those which fall from the sky in meteorites; all diamonds which are mined in the diamond fields of the world are only fragments of gems.

That is a startling statement, but the diamonds to be found on this planet have fallen on the earth from the skies and have not, as most persons suppose, been produced here like coal and other mineral products.

Yet this is the latest scientific assertion with regard to the world's stock of the precious stones. The whole stock of the Kimberly mines, with their unknown resources, and all the gems of this character to be found in any part of the planet—all have fallen from space at some time or other.

Somewhere in the illimitable distance there is a vast diamond factory, the only place where perfect gems are produced. The first piece of evidence is that the whole of the rock in which Kimberly gems are found is similar to nothing else on earth; it has been given a distinguishing name (kimberly) and it corresponds exactly with the matter of which meteorites are composed.

In plain language, the whole of that vast mass of rock fell on earth from the skies at some late period of the world's formation. This is rather staggering, but it must be remembered that there is a mountain in Arizona which is acknowledged by all scientists to be a meteoric mountain. And diamonds are being found at that spot.

Diamonds are found practically in superficial layers of the earth's crust; that is another proof of their celestial origin. Further, the diamond crystals are formed like no others that are of earthly origin; this is regarded as a strong proof that they fell from above. It is curious that earthly diamonds are not perfect and that some of them when first brought from Kimberly mines and exposed to the air explode and crack into several pieces. Now the stones which come down in meteorites also explode when they are taken from the protecting mass which covers them completely. This is due to the peculiar conditions which prevail where the stones are produced and these conditions can not prevail on the earth as the oxygen prevents them.

In order to make a diamond it is necessary that the constituents should be very hot and then cooled quite suddenly; nothing else will account for the peculiar shape of the crystals and the general formation of the gem.

DR. FRENCH'S WATERMELONS.

The Punishment He Meted Out to the Juvenile Thieves.

Of all the favorites of the "storied past," in the matter of original cleverness and quaintness of humor, few surpass Dr. French, of the little village of Bath, N. H. Dr. French has been dead over 60 years, yet some of his unique adventures are household words to-day.

One summer he possessed a crop of watermelons that made his heart glad and the small boy envious. One moonlight night the sin of envy was transmuted into larceny, and the doctor was bereft of the finest of his patch.

He said nothing, thought much, and apparently did nothing. But some evenings later, before midnight, he received sudden summonses to the bedside of half a dozen small boys in the neighborhood. They were very ill, and vomited copiously.

Dr. French then knew who had taken his melons, as he had injected a stiff dose of tartar emetic into some of his melons. Since he collected his usual fee from each patient, he was quite indifferent to the further punishment of the bad boys, and discovered a new source of profit in melon raising. But the story was too good to keep, and in later years he often repeated it.

Lady Curzon's Voice.

In the later years of her life only very intimate friends knew that Lady Curzon possessed a remarkably fine singing voice or that she had been a pupil of Mme. Marchesi. People hardly gave her the credit for having self-advancement or for being shy and yet she did one and was the other. Till the end she and her husband kept up the habit of their courtship days when apart and telegraphed or cabled to each other daily. In view of Lady Curzon's untimely death, superstitious folk are pointing to the fact that at the Delhi Durbar she wore a dress with a design of the unlucky peacock's feather. Her young friends chaffed her on this at the time and told her that no wearer of peacock feathers ever had good luck thereafter.

To Prohibit Barmaids.

A movement is on foot in England to prohibit women from acting as barmaids. If passed, the proposed bill will affect between 30,000 and 40,000 women.

Unless She's His Sister.

"How long does it take a young man to teach a girl to swim?" "If she's pretty it ought to take all summer."—Houston Post.

Always Fetches It.

Wade Parker—What do you take for seasickness? Glen Viller—A sail on a yacht.—Cleveland Leader.

HAPPY WOMEN.

Wouldn't any woman be happy, After years of backache suffering, Days of misery, nights of unrest, The distress of urinary troubles, To find relief and cure? No reason why any reader Should suffer in the face of evidence Like this:

Mrs. Almira A. Jackson, of East Front St., Traverse City, Mich., says: "For twenty years I was doctoring for kidney and liver trouble, but without benefit. Just before I began using Doan's Kidney Pills I was almost paralyzed. I could hardly stand on my feet because of the numbness and



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A FREE TRIAL of this great kidney medicine which cured Mrs. Jackson will be mailed on application to any part of the United States. Address Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y. For sale by all druggists; price, 50 cents per box.

Put Blame on Government.

It is the custom of the Khonds in the Madras presidency of India to offer a buffalo in sacrifice in substitution for the human victim. But in doing so they make long apologies to the deity, explaining that they themselves would willingly make the customary sacrifices, but are prevented by the British government, on whose head they pray that any anger at their neglect of duty may be visited.

Art Works Bring Good Prices.

At the recent sale of the Paul Meurice collection in Paris a terra cotta group by Clodion, 30 centimeters high, representing a nymph with child offering flowers, was sold for \$11,800. A terra cotta bas-relief by Clodion went for \$2,500. A Gobelin tapestry of the time of Louis XVI, representing the month of May and belonging to a famous series designed by Lucas, brought \$12,800.

Derivation of "Finance."

Many words of most august sound prove to be of quite commonplace ancestry when traced to their origins. "Finance" is really only "settling up." Literally, it is just "ending," and was formerly used in that very simple sense in the English language. Then it came to signify settling up with a creditor, and acquired the special sense of ransom.

Thought, Sight, Hearing, Touch.

Dr. Symes Thompson says the length of time taken in communicating by touch is one-seventh of a second before there is a consciousness of the touch. When a sound is heard the interval is one-sixth of a second; when an object is seen the interval is one-fifth of a second; in the case of a thought it is one-fortieth of a second.

About Horses.

Horses, under natural conditions, sleep much less than men and spend far more time every day in eating. There is little nourishment in grass, in proportion to its bulk, and the horse is forced to give so much time to eating that it would be ruinous to human industry if like conditions existed among men.

Chances Gone for Ever.

People who were killed in automobile accidents would turn over by their graves if they knew of the lovely press notices that are being lavished on those who are risking their lives by going up in a balloon.—Washington Post.

In World's Largest City.

In London a child is born every three minutes, and a death is recorded every five minutes. The city contains 700 railway stations, 5,000 omnibuses, 7,000 hansom cabs and 14,000 taxicabs. Daily 1,000,000 persons travel on underground railways.

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Senator Thurston's Humor.

Former Senator John M. Thurston, of Nebraska, who was representing the defense in a recent trial in one of the state courts, arose the other day to reply to argument of counsel for the government on a point of law. In deliberate and impressive manner the attorney began a forceful presentation to the court. Before he had fairly launched his counter attack, however, he was interrupted by the presiding justice, who said that he was about to decide the question in favor of Senator Thurston. "In that case," remarked Mr. Thurston, resuming his seat at once, "I will make no speech to the court, for fear of changing your honor's opinion."

At Ninety-Five.

Silas N. Clark, of Winthrop, Me., celebrated his ninety-fifth birthday recently. In that occasion there was quite a gathering of relatives and friends at his house. To them he solemnly announced that he had decided to abandon the use of tobacco, having come to the conclusion that it is injurious to health. Mr. Clark, who is a hearty old fellow still, had given the filthy weed a fair trial, having been a consistent smoker and chewer for 51 years.

Mentality Light.

"It seems to me," said the visitor, "that your city authorities are lacking in many things. For instance, they have no mental force." "I guess you're right," replied the native, "the police force certainly doesn't come under that head."—Philadelphia Press.

Brave and Fair.

The Man—I'd give anything if you would kiss me. The Maid—But the scientists say 'hat kisses breed disease. The Man—Oh, that's all right. Go ahead and make me an invalid for life.—Chicago Daily News.

Vatican Refuses Large Sums.

Italy, under the law of papal guarantees, would give \$800,000 a year to the pope, but Vatican financiers hesitate to accept this, partly from political reasons, partly because they feel it would discourage contributions from abroad.

To Publish Renan's Works.

When Renan died he left nine volumes in manuscript, containing the notes of his young manhood on religion, philosophy, history and life. He never meant to publish them, but it appears that his daughter has decided to do so.

Small Wonder He Died.

A native doctor in India, in certifying to a death, wrote: "I am of a mind that he died (or lost his life) for want of foodings, or on account of starvation. Maybe also for other things of his comfortables."

England's Cold Snap.

Sudden drops in temperature are not peculiar to this country or this century. England had a "cold snap" May 14, 1866. The cold on that night was so severe that in the morning several hundred martins were found clinging to the eaves of the turnpike house at Whalley, in Yorkshire, while upon them were crowded others, four or five deep in all.

A Snail's Pace.

A snail's rate of travel was ascertained by experiments in Florence. Half a dozen snails were permitted to crawl between two points ten feet apart. Exact time was kept from the start to the finish, and thus the average pace learned. The figures were then put into tables of feet, yards and furlongs, and it was found that it would take a snail exactly 14 days to travel a mile.

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WEDNESDAY, NOV. 14, 1906.

TWO PROGRESSIVE REPUBLICANS IN OXFORD COUNTY.

"The people, if they ever had sovereignty, have lost it or willingly given it up. This centralization of power, without any power in the people to correct errors, is a standing menace to the people and their right of self-government. The people should never delegate any power without the power of recovering it being expressly reserved in the grant of power. If the people had the right to regain or exercise their own sovereignty, they probably would never need to do so, but not having it, party boss interests, party interests, monied interests, official interests, corporation and other powerful interests and the 'Lobby' interests, either by becoming members of the Legislature or by coining the members of the Legislature or otherwise, will gradually rob the State of its lands and control of its water courses and the people of their rights, privileges, and immunities whether inherent, statutory or constitutional. And if the people complain, what will they do about it? There is no redress and there is sufficient power for coercion. What then shall we do? We should return the sovereignty to the people, or at least enough to protect them. I have no specific to offer for the cure of evil, but it seems that the Initiative and Referendum is the only remedy now in sight."

The above is quoted from an exceedingly well reasoned and written article, by Judge G. Willard Johnson of Rumford, and printed in the Lewiston Journal Nov. 7.

September 1st Representative-elect, Elwin C. Gleason of Mexico had an able article in the same paper, advocating primary caucus laws, and other methods of giving the people absolute control of the means of nominating candidates for office.

These two gentlemen are Republicans, and judging by their views as expressed in these articles are entitled to be called progressive Republicans; for these measures are opposed by many leading Republicans of the machine variety, as they are termed by the Journal.

Don A. H. Powers and Hon. F. A. Allen who are chiefly mentioned as the presiding officers to be of the House and Senate this winter, are against the initiative and referendum. The platform of both the Republican and Democratic parties declared in favor of that plan, but often platform declarations are for form only.

We do not care which party a good measure is obtained from, and are bound to support the men who favor measures in the interest of the people.

The initiative and referendum, as well as many other excellent laws have been in operation in Switzerland for nearly forty years. In the United States the Socialist party began to agitate for the plan about twelve years ago, and it has been a cardinal principle with them ever since. Any one familiar with Socialist literature would suppose both Mr. Gleason's and Judge Johnson's articles to have been written by avowed Socialists, if the articles had been unsigned.

Judge Johnson goes even farther than the more conservative Socialists, for he doubts that the people ever had any real power in

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law making. Now that he has raised the question, it will be well to remind ourselves that the convention which reported our present Constitution for ratification by the states, was dominated by men whose confidence in the common people was limited to a belief in their good qualities as soldiers and "hewers of wood and drawers of water."

As a result, the nearest to popular government we got, was the system of electing representatives by popular vote. Judge Johnson thinks it is very uncertain whether that is a means by which popular will can be truly expressed. Our electoral system has several times put a minority candidate in the presidential chair. Yet both parties have sky-rocketed it for our grand old constitution and hurled anathemas at all who dared breathe a word against the great "Magna Charta."

Andrew Jackson and Abraham Lincoln, sort of laws unto themselves and every one else, men, road rough shod over the constitution if it stood in the way of what they deemed right. The timid anarchist has, from some obscure hiding place stuck his head out and made faces at the document, and then ran for his life with a policeman in hot pursuit.

The Socialists have been shouting from the house tops the charge that the people had lost their rights. They attracted attention enough to get stones thrown at them by both old parties, but very few votes!

With the exception of these instances the constitution has been held sacred, until now when we find two leading Republicans of Oxford county impeaching, one our political system, and the other both the system and the constitution, and in language as radical as any reformer ever used, although both gentlemen deny being reformers. As may be gathered from our opening paragraphs, we do not say this to reproach the gentlemen, for we are in sympathy, but feel like placing them in the position they by right should be—in the ranks of reformers.

HITS US A GENTLE RAP.

A Norwegian Gives Some Interesting Information Concerning the Land of the Midnight Sun.

Mr. Carl C. Peterson of Christiania, Norway, an educated native of that country, who left there Oct. 18, was registered at the hotel at Rumford Falls Sunday. The Citizen man interviewed him, and learned several interesting things about that snow bound and midnight sun land. His explanation of the great racing qualities of the reindeer was interesting and attracted the attention of several men at the house, who thought they owned pretty fast horses.

After learning that a reindeer can trot a mile in about 1.40, they ever began to have less respect for automobiles. Mr. Peterson says the reindeer is always driven singly. The popular pictures that show the team in double hitch is imaginary, like the old follow who drives them. The animals

will not drive together either in span or tandem style.

Mr. Peterson aroused the envy of some who talked with him by saying that he had, at home, an other fur coat that cost only \$40. The same style of garment in the United States cannot be bought for less than several hundreds of dollars. The duty is 50 per cent. ad valorem on coats and caps. It being suggested that there might be a difference in the quality of the fur, Mr. Peterson was shown an other fur garment. He said the fur in Norway was finer and blacker, and as well as he could judge of better quality.

Being asked what he thought of our liquor system, Mr. Peterson innocently raised a laugh by saying, "You don't have any system." He also hit this country a hard rap, by observing that the roads here were similar to the paths running through his farm in Norway.

Being further questioned about the system of selling liquor in Norway, he explained that the so-called Norwegian system, editorially referred to last week, has been modified, and is now a regular license system, the price of a license varying from \$3000 to small sums, according to location and kind of business. The saloons are all closed at one o'clock Saturday p. m., and are not opened again until eight o'clock Monday morning. There are no bars, liquor being served as food is served in this country. One must sit at a table, and order from an attendant as he would a dinner. The officers of the law not being dependent upon favor of either the sellers or drinkers, sees that the laws are strictly enforced. With them yes, means yes, and no, means no. The dealers know that and no more dare to serve liquor to an intoxicated person than to break any other law.

Mr. Peterson gives the American and English sailors rather a hard rap, by saying that, excepting what he calls "professional drunkards," the sailors from America and England are about the only persons who get intoxicated in Norway. He, however, explains that partially, by saying that the liquor in general use there is much stronger than in countries farther south, and a small amount serves to make a man drunk. Mr. Peterson has never visited America before, but has spent two years in England, where he acquired a very good English pronunciation. English is taught in the public schools of Norway and Sweden.

The Rumford Citizen.

THE IRON MAN

Installed in Postal Card Factory at Rumford Falls.

A machine of wonderful mechanism has recently been installed in the Postal card factory. The machine, which Major Shook calls the Iron Man, was made by C. D. Cottrell & Son of Westerley, R. I., with the understanding that if it does not prove successful, they were to receive no pay for it. The experimental work has been satisfactory and there is no doubt but that the machine will fulfill the requirements, although it will not be accepted and put into commission until an inspector has seen it in operation. The inspector is expected to visit the factory this week.

The work done by the iron man is very interesting. There are numerous iron hands and fingers doing the most marvelous work; work that has always been done by human hands. One pair of hands picks up a large sheet of card board and lifts it into the press where it is printed, the ink being supplied from cylinders full of dye. Another pair of hands lifts it from the press onto another surface, where it is cut into strips and then it is passed on, and these strips are cut into postal cards.

The cards are then bound into

bundles of 25 each by girls who hold the paper "stickers" in their mouth, so moistening one end of the strip, so that it is ready to adhere to the other end of the strip which is covered with maulage.

The cards are then put into the government vault and they are then out of the care of the contractor and in charge of the government. The employees or visitors are not allowed to pick up a piece of the card board or to touch the waste cards at all. The penalty for stealing even one post card is a long term of years in states prison.

The contractors are obliged to keep eight days' supplies on hand in the government vault. The actual use of post cards by the government is 2,000,000 per day, including Sundays. The plant turns out 2,500,000 cards daily. Tuesday, two car loads of 5,000,000 each, were shipped from the factory.

The railroads are under heavy bonds to carry the cards which are put into the cars on which the government seal is placed by Major Shook. If the railroad fails to safely deliver the cards they are obliged to pay their face value of one cent each.

The paper for the postal cards is furnished by the Oxford Paper Co. The help employed to handle the cards are expert and each one is under bonds, so it is next to impossible that the government should sustain any loss. It is well worth a visit to the mill to see this marvelous iron man in operation.

MANY SUDDEN DEATHS

From Poisonous Rheumatism

The Disease Has Its Dangers—Should Be Taken in Time.

Rheumatism has long been regarded as a trouble which, while it might be painful, was not necessarily dangerous. Very few persons, it was thought, ever died from Rheumatism. Recent investigation among scientists has proved, however, the utter fallacy of such a belief. Three-fourths to seven-eighths of the sudden deaths, heart failures, etc., are due primarily to neglected rheumatism. The Rheumatic Acid Poison is allowed to stay in the system until suddenly one day it grips the muscles of the heart and all is over.

Rheumatism is curable if the proper treatment is used. Liniments, plasters and all local applications may relieve the pain for a short time, but no one ever heard of their permanently curing a case of rheumatism. The only way to cure Rheumatism is the Urie-O way. Neutralize the Rheumatic acid and drive it from the system. That is what Urie-O does. No matter what is the kind or character of the Rheumatism, it is all caused by the same Rheumatic poison. Lumbago, Muscular or Articular Rheumatism yields at once to Urie-O. The store of W. E. Bosserman is the home of Urie-O in Bethel and he can tell you all about its wonderful virtues and the many cures it has made right here in your own town. It sells for 75c and \$1.00 a bottle. If you wish to test Urie-O before purchasing, a letter to the Smith Drug Co., Syracuse, N. Y., will bring you a trial bottle free of all charges.

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PROBATE NOTICES.

To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named:
At a Probate Court, held at Paris in and for the County of Oxford, on the third Tuesday of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and six. The following matter having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby ORDERED:
That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Bethel News, a paper published at Bethel in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at said Paris on the third Tuesday of November A. D. 1906 at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

THOMAS J. SARGENT late of Magalloway Plantation, deceased; petition for license to sell and convey real estate presented by Lewis Leavitt, administrator.
ADDISON E. HERRICK, Judge of said Court.
sw20 A true copy—attest: ALBERT D. PARK, Register.

NOTICE.

The subscriber hereby gives notice that she has been duly appointed administratrix of the estate of late of Upton in the County of Oxford, deceased, having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.
Oct. 16, 1906. Martha C. Brooks.

NOTICE.

The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed executor of the last will and testament of WILLIAM HENRY BROWN late of Upton in the County of Oxford, deceased. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.
Oct. 16, 1906. Harry H. Brown.

NOTICE.

The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been appointed executor of the last will and testament of EBEN R. BENNETT late of Gilead in the County of Oxford, deceased. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.
Oct. 16, 1906. Milton R. Bennett.

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STATE OF MAINE.

Collector's Notice and Advertisement of Sale of Lands of Non-resident Owners.

Unpaid taxes on lands situated in the town of Newry, in the County of Oxford, for the year 1905.

The following list of taxes on real estate of non-resident owners, in the Town of Newry, aforesaid, for the year 1905, committed to me for collection for said Town on the eighteenth day of May, 1905, remain unpaid; and notice is hereby given that if said taxes with interest and charges are not previously paid, so much of the real estate taxed as is sufficient and necessary to pay the amount due therefor, including interest and charges, will be sold without further notice at public auction at L. W. Ramsell's Hall in said town, on the first Monday of December, at nine o'clock, a. m.

Name of Owner.	Description of Property.	No. Acres.	Amt. of Tax
Howard, J. R.	On Hanover line, Lot No. 3.		
	Range one (1)	200	
	Land on Stony Brook.	100	\$8 50
Ryerson, Hannah, Estate of	House and Lot, East corner David Smith farm.	12	
	John Frost field.	10	6 80
Smith, G. L.,	Lot six (6) Range one (1)	100	
	Isaac Small farm.	150	7 65
Harris, C. H., heirs of,	Lot one, Range fourteen (14)	80	
		184	9 00

Newry, October 15, 1906.

DON C. SMITH, Collector of Taxes for the Town of Newry for the year 1906.

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Name of Owner.	Description of Property.
Bean, John	Homestead Farm
Grover, Samuel O.	Part of 32, 33, 34
Holman, W. S.	The D. M. Goss
Knight, Mrs. Doris	Homestead Farm
McLeod, Fred A.	Land on Paradise
Young, Asa L.	Meadow, Part of
Fred B. Howe, Collector of taxes for the	House Lot on C

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Name of Owner.	Description of Property.	No. Acres.	Amt. of Tax
Bean, John	Homestead Farm,		\$12.75
Grover, Samuel O.	Part of 33, 33,	4.25	4.25
Goss, Abel	The D. M. Cross Farm,		6.80
Harham, W. S.	Homestead Farm,		5.90
Knight, Mrs. Doris	Land on Paradise Street,		9.80
McLeod, Fred A.	Mea. 100, Part of 33,		47
Young, Asa L.	House Lot on Church Street,		8.75

FRED B. HOWE, Collector of taxes for the Town of Bethel for the year 1906.

NORWAY.

C. N. Tubbs & Son have bought the Mary E. Beal place on the corner of Paris and Winter streets and are making extensive repairs on it. When finished they will have a fine double tenement. The roof of the ell is being raised 2 feet. The house will be shingled and painted in the spring, if not this fall.

The ladies of Harry Rust W. R. C. will hold their annual fair and apron sale, Nov. 15, afternoon and evening. Among the attractions will be fancy articles, fish pond, miscellaneous, food and bundle tables. They will serve supper at 6.30 o'clock. All members are requested to contribute to the several tables and bring food.

John A. Woodman has had a new dog "Julia." She is of the Dachshund variety and Boston bred, and came to Mr. Woodman through J. F. Bolster. She reminds one of the late lamented Nixie, though much smaller in size. She has the same elongated look. Mr. Woodman after deliberation concluded not to keep another dog.

Mrs. Douglass Farrar entertained her friend, Lena Edwards of Bridgton, a few days recently.

C. W. Andrews has moved from W. E. Perkins' rent to the house of Mrs. Harding on Beal street.

Mt. Hope Rebekah Lodge will serve a harvest dinner to the public in G. A. R. hall in the near future.

The schools have adopted the method of having no recess and letting out earlier at night much to the satisfaction of all.

Thomas Jackson of Portland visited relatives in town recently. He is in the store of E. H. Haggott but still keeps his old home farm in Otisfield. He has not been in Norway for eight years.

Ernest Vancour has moved from J. T. Rowe's house on Beal street into the Perkins place on Hazen street. Mr. Rowe is having his house painted and papered. Fred Wentzel is moving in.

John Shepard and Chas. Bradley returned last Wednesday from a trip to Boston and Lynn, where they had spent a week looking over the different methods used in various shoe factories of those cities.

The Norway band have hired the room over E. F. Bicknell's store, formerly occupied by the Norway & Western Railroad as an office. They will use this for the meetings of the band and as a club room.

Mrs. L. I. Gilbert and her mother, Mrs. Mattie Packard, were in Lewiston last week to visit Mrs. Gilbert's sister, Mrs. Lena Gray of Livermore Falls, who is at the Central Maine General hospital for treatment for appendicitis.

Charles G. Knight has had his house on Beal street occupied by Montello Bradbury painted and shingled. Others who are painting and repairing their houses are F. E. Tower, Mrs. Darius Fuller and Margaret and Jennie Baker.

Mrs. Louise J. Briggs has been visiting relatives in Portland.

One evening last week, Grace Dudley entertained at her home on Church street a few of her friends at a finish party. Refreshments were served.

George O. Chase, who recently sold his farm in the Whittemore district to Capt. W. W. Kimball of the United States Navy, has purchased the farm of Archie Curtis in Sumner and expects to move there soon.

George A. Abbott and family have moved into the rent on the second floor of the Howe store recently put in shape by A. D. Park. Mr. and Mrs. Danie Dresser will move into the house on the Hebron road vacated by the Abbotts.

Last Thursday evening the Baldwin Men's class served a banquet in the vestry of the Congregational church to its members and a few invited guests.

Arthur E. Clark went to Bromptonville, Que., last week, where he will have charge of a new woodworking plant, which is to be started for the manufacture of several lines of goods similar to those manufactured by the Paris Manufacturing Company.

The South Paris Epworth League entertained about forty members of the Norway League at a social last Thursday evening. In the autograph contest which was held, Eva Muirhead carried off the first prize. Refreshments of ice cream and fancy crackers were served and games played.

J. H. Brooks was in Lewiston recently.

F. A. Shurtliff was in Portland on day last week.

Howard Young has recently purchased a furnace.

George Davis who has been ill for some time, is improving.

Mrs. Jennie Howe of Hanover visited at J. H. Bean's last Wednesday.

James S. Wright has been in Andover on business for several days.

The village schools will have a week's vacation, Thanksgiving week.

Al Morse was in New Hampshire last week, giving readings.

A. C. Jones, who has been confined to the house for some time is a little better.

George Tucker has put the fountain in the square, in readiness for the winter.

Mrs. C. O. Corbett has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ralph Sturtivant, for a few days.

L. L. Powers, E. McArdle, W. P.

Morton and several others attended the meeting of the Shriners at Portland last Friday.

Duffy, who was arrested recently for entering several houses in this vicinity, has been examined and pronounced insane and will be taken to the Insane Hospital at Augusta.

BRYANT'S POND.

C. L. Heath was in Pownal last Friday, on business.

Fred Whitman has returned from a trip to Cupasuptic.

George Swan is working for the Grand Trunk at West Paris.

Eugene Haynes of Milton is doing carpenter work for A. M. Chase.

Archie Felt was in Portland last Friday to attend a ceremonial session of Kora Temple.

Mrs. L. B. Stephens and Mrs. Annie Day have been visiting Dr. C. B. Rankins at Mechanic Falls.

C. P. Farrar is making repairs around the hotel, and putting in new steps at the corner of the piazza.

Susie A. Merrill of Wilton has been visiting Mrs. Alice Farrar and called on other friends.

D. A. Cole of R. F. D. No. 1 is taking a vacation. Ned I. Swan is substituting for him.

Mrs. Diantha Edwards, Mrs. Estella Ford and Ethel Ford visited A. M. Chase, recently.

Mrs. George Cummings is sick with the grip. Very severe cases of bad colds are prevailing.

Mr. and Mrs. Elden Ross of Rumford Falls visited her sister, Mrs. M. M. Hathaway last week.

The spool factory has started up again. New work has come in and the prospects are for a good run.

A new pipe is being laid from the Grand Trunk spring through the course of the old aqueduct and the water will be taken into the houses of James Gorman and Geo. H. Cummings.

The chimney on the Baptist meeting-house is being rebuilt.

Alton Bacon is clappingboard Albert Felt's barn.

Ralph Bacon and Leon Martin have been having the measles but are able to be out again.

Walter Emmons has brought running water into his house. John Howe is also putting in an aqueduct.

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FRYE.

Carrol, Merle and Frank Philbrick called on Willie Burgess Thursday evening and passed a pleasant hour listening to his new phonograph.

Mr. George Dorr is working for C. H. Burgess.

A. B. Penley went to Ramford Falls and vicinity, Thursday on business.

H. C. Burgess has his new dam done and has the pond filled with water.

Winnie B. Hutchinson is visiting Mrs. C. H. Burgess.

Mrs. Bonnie Philbrick had a visit from one of her sisters last week.

Willie Burgess has 314 records for his phonograph, and all his friends are invited to call and hear them.

Miss M. Taylor visited at C. F. Philbrick's one day last week.

H. C. Burgess went to Ramford Falls last Saturday and came home with a nice double runner sleigh.

Miss Agnes Philbrick, who has had a birthday recently was well remembered by her many friends.

Wallace Taylor has been hauling machinery for a mill to Byron the past week.

SOUTH PARIS.

Mrs. Lila Woodbury has gone to Portland to spend the winter.

The Seneca Club met on Monday evening with Mrs. Frank Shurtliff.

Eunice Forbes, who has been teaching in Wakefield, Mass., is at home.

A series of religious services will be held at the Universalist church the second week in December in which the other churches have been invited to take part.

Mrs. W. O. Frothingham went to Lewiston the first of the week and brought home her daughter, Lena Leighton, who has been in the hospital for treatment.

Mrs. Alfred H. Jackson and daughter, Nellie, are spending several weeks with relatives in Boston.



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C. A. LUCAS, Bethel.

Catherine Briggs has returned home from Poland Springs. She has been ill and will remain at home for a while.

Walter Maxim is painting his house. James S. Wright has returned from a business trip to Andover.

George Davis, who has been ill, is improving.

Myron W. Maxim is having the store in Maxim block formerly occupied by J. S. Tapley as a furniture store, repaired, and will move his stock in soon.

H. D. Field and family have moved into a rent at Mrs. E. M. Millett's house on High street.

Howard Shaw went to Lewiston to attend the Bates-U. of M. football game.

Mrs. Wirt Stanley, who has been very ill, is improving.

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NEWRY.

They are painting the church at Newry and it has long needed it.

Rufus Cole has taken his young heifer to W. A. Foster's for the winter.

H. S. Hastings has a fine flock of turkeys getting ready for Thanksgiving.

The snow of last Friday night was quite a surprise to some in town, although a very few were prepared for it.

Mrs. N. S. Baker has been quite poorly for a few days.

Mrs. John Carleton has been to Newry for a few days. They have decided to remain at West Bethel for the winter.

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MEXICO.

The Portland and Rumford Falls Ry. firemen all went to Portland last Sunday to attend a brotherhood meeting.

The Swift River Grange will entertain the New Century Pomona Grange at dinner Wednesday, Nov. 14th, in the vestry of the Congregational church.

Arthur Gleason has returned home from Hutson's lumber camp.

Seward McDonald has moved his family to Rumford Falls.

Mr. Roch, whose buildings at Frye were recently burned, intends to rebuild.

Samuel F. Wing has purchased the Charles Campbell place on the Stearns purchase.

Mr. and Mrs. Carleton T. Gleason have gone to Lewiston to occupy the house which they recently purchased.

S. M. Robinson, foreman in the wood room of the Oxford Paper Co., has moved his family into the Goodwin cottage on Main street, recently vacated by W. L. Westcott.

R. E. McCollister and wife of Canton Point spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L. H. McCollister.

Mrs. Fred Emery was in Livermore Falls on business last week.

Rev. M. S. Howes of Mechanic Falls will occupy the pulpit at the Baptist Chapel next Sunday, and will be entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Goodwin while in town.

J. Albert Brannard is building a new house near the Swift River bridge.

Mrs. George Smith of Canton is the guest of O. P. Smith and wife.

Miss Bertha Edgcomb of Livermore is visiting Mrs. Lulu Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Winslow returned from Boston last Friday, where they were called by the sudden death of Mr. Winslow's father.

Chester Knox is building an addition to Clarke Fellow's stable on Granite street.

Rev. and Mrs. J. G. Fisher were called to Lowell, Mass., last week, by the death of Mrs. Fisher's father, Mr. Waugh. Mr. Fisher returned home Saturday, and Mrs. Fisher remained in Lowell for a few days.

Mrs. Leon Small and daughter, Clarice, are visiting relatives in Grey, Me.

The truant officer in kept quite busy in trying to enforce the law and keep several boys in school. When they attend school it is through the compulsion of the officer. Their parents either cannot exercise their authority in the matter, or do not care to. The boys will probably grow up to be a credit to their parents and to the town.

The Baptist Ladies' Circle met with Mrs. L. H. McCollister Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Charles Keyo is entertaining her grandmother from Andover.

Fred Emery was in Portland on a business trip last week.

W. N. Hodgdon spent several days in Mechanic Falls last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon M. Small attended the Masquerade Ball given by the senior class of the Dixfield High School last Thursday evening in Tuscan Opera House, Dixfield.

Rev. A. G. Warner delivered his farewell sermon last Sunday morning in the Baptist church, using as a subject Paul's message in which he commands the brethren to God. The sermon was an exceedingly fine one and was listened to by a large and appreciative audience. Mr. Warner will remain in town during this week.

Stage driver, H. P. Holt, met with an accident Friday afternoon while loading some baggage on the stage. His foot slipped through the trunk rack and a heavy trunk fell on his leg, bruising it quite badly. Although the hurt caused him quite a little discomfort, Mr. Holt has not been obliged to give up his work.

Charles O. Poor of Buffalo, N. Y., Supt. of the General Railway Signal Co., is staying with his uncle, O. P. Smith for two weeks. Mr. Poor visited Andover a few days this week.

Mrs. M. C. McLeod's father, Henry Littlefield, and sister, Blanche, of Oldtown, Mass., who have been visiting Mrs. McLeod and Mrs. J. C. Winslow, returned home last Monday.

The supper and dance given by Swift River Grange last Friday evening was a decided success. A baked bean supper was served in the lower hall and about 35 couples enjoyed a dance in Mechanic Hall.

Nathaniel L. Keene and son, Frank, and Mr. DeErmest of Livermore Falls spent Sunday, with W. N. Hodgdon and wife.

The Mission study class met at the home of Mildred Westcott, Monday evening.

Mrs. Wallace N. Hodgdon entertained her Sunday school class of boys, Wednesday evening, at her home on Granite street. A very delightful evening was spent in playing games, and the dainty refreshments served were much appreciated by the boys, who enjoy Mrs. Hodgdon very much as a Sabbath school teacher, and in the language of the school boy, declare her to be a jolly good hostess. The boys who enjoyed Mrs. Hodgdon's hospitality were Fred Fish, Eddie Fogg, Oscar Davis, Payson Palmer, Philip Clifford, Willie Hanley, Chester Davis and James Keirstead.

RUMFORD FALLS.

F. H. Atwood went to Portland Tuesday.

Mrs. Joseph Haynes has moved to Mexico.

A. B. Ricker of Poland Springs was in town Tuesday.

Mrs. W. S. Downs spent Sunday with friends in Lewiston.

Charles A. Mixer was in Portland a few days last week.

Mrs. Frederick O. Eaton has been quite ill for several days.

Mrs. Ralph Lockhead went to Auburn Monday to visit her parents.

Charles Israelson spent several days in Portland and Boston last week.

Mr. A. L. Davis has moved from Somerset street to Penobscot street.

Miss Agnes H. Russell sang in the Universalist church at Dixfield last Sunday.

S. M. Robinson has moved his family into one of the Goodwin cottages in Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett K. Day went to Portland Thursday, intending to be gone several days.

Harvey Crockett, recently employed by the American Express Co., is now located in Portland.

Mrs. Lowell and daughter, Marguerite, of Augusta, visited Mr. and Mrs. Everett K. Day this week.

Isadore Brooks of New York has returned to Rumford Falls, after visiting friends in Livermore Falls.

Mrs. Cyrus Eaton, who has been sick for some time, is much better and was able to sit up last Saturday.

Oliver Binnetto of New York has returned to Rumford Falls and has resumed his former position in Gonyea Bros. store.

F. H. Newton of Mexico, who recently purchased F. D. Andrew's fruit and confectionery business, has taken possession of the store.

Miss C. J. Hall has recovered from the nervous collapse occasioned by the recent fire in close proximity to her building on Congress street.

Charles Grant, who has been employed as draughtsman to do some special work for the Rumford Falls Power Co., left for Millinocket Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Anderson went to Portland Tuesday, and from there they intend to go to Coos and North Stratford, N. H., for several months.

Mr. William Raye has moved from Franklin street to Stratghat Park, where he with his family will occupy the double tenement with E. W. Howe.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist church met in the vestry Thursday afternoon, and enjoyed a social time, and transacted some business.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stanhope and Mrs. Stanhope's father and sister, returned from South Rangeley Tuesday morning, where they have been spending a week in camp.

The Choral Union held a rehearsal Wednesday evening in the Universalist vestry, and practiced some of the selections that they are planning to sing at the coming concert.

Philip Steinfeld and Dana Burdett are two of the football enthusiasts who are going to Lewiston Saturday to witness the game between the University of Maine and Bates College football teams.

F. H. Richmond is building an addition to his store which will be 18x24 and give him more room in which to display his steadily increasing stock of goods. It will be ready for occupancy about Christmas.

The re-organized Knights of Macabees met Wednesday night in McMenamin Hall. Business of importance was transacted. A large number of members were present.

Harry J. Ladd returned last week from a two weeks' vacation in Vermont. His resumption of his duties as mail carrier began with many expressions of welcome from the residents on his route.

A very pleasing musical program was given by some of the scholars in grades 7 and 8 of the Chisholm school last Friday afternoon. Part songs were sung by four boys and also by four of the girls. Mrs. Mariam Reed, teacher of grade 7 sang several very pleasing songs, accompanied by Arthur Kendall at the piano. Another enjoyable number of the program, was a violin and piano duet by Louise Strathberg and Arthur Kendall.

Mr. H. L. Page of Marlboro, N. H., was a guest of Rev. E. W. Webber last week.

Rev. E. W. Webber was called to Richmond to perform a marriage ceremony last Wednesday.

Police officer, Frank A. Brooks began his duties Tuesday after an absence of ten days of account of illness.

Miss Ida M. Newton returned Monday from the Mountain View House, where she has been staying for several weeks.

Walter H. Small, the day clerk at Hotel Rumford, has been away for several days on a hunting and vacation trip.

The regular night train from Lewiston to Mechanic Falls Saturday night will continue to Rumford Falls to accommodate those from here wishing to attend the foot ball game. One fare round trip.

WEST PERU.

A. W. Atkins and Sumner Knox each lost a cow last week.

Henry Rowe is in poor health and is confined to the house.

Mrs. Whittier is moving into John Putnam's new rent.

Maurice Burgess is working at Dixfield in the wool mill.

Cleotson Knox shot a fine deer recently, and it is understood he was offered a good price for the head, but refused.

Perley Child and family visited his wife's parents last Sunday.

Alton York has bought the Jackson place and moved onto the same.

A little daughter came to brighten the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand Burgess Sunday morning, Nov. 4th.

NORTH RUMFORD.

One day recently Frank Duran and Will McMillan captured seven coons.

The social and entertainment at the Howe school on Wednesday evening, was a grand success. The pupils under the direction of Miss Foster rendered their songs, recitations and pantomimes without a hitch. Cake and coffee were served.

Miss Ethel Russell of Canton is nuzz catching foxes. He has caught one fisher cat.

William Barker of Rumford Point is visiting her sister, Mrs. Amos Elliott.

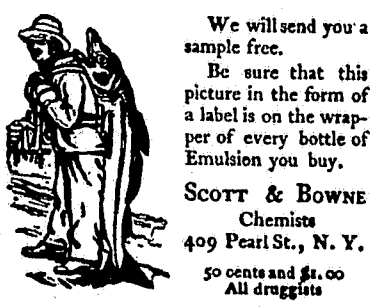
Albert Silver is doing a good business in trapping in this vicinity. He has twenty foxes to date.

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Don't make any mistake, but remember the name, Swamp-Root, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y., on every bottle.

SOUTH ANDOVER.

Mr. Walter Simonds and daughter, who have been visiting at H. D. Abbott's home, have returned to their home in Lynn, Mass.

Miss Della Scott of Holden, Mass., has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Holton Abbott.

Miss Florence Hoyt, who went to the hospital in Lewiston, has returned home much improved in health.

Joseph Abbott is staying with H. M. Hodgman a few days while doing some work on his farm.

Hervey Hall is working for Walter Robinson, getting out pulp wood.

The ladies of the Universalist Society will hold their annual chicken pie supper at the vestry Nov. 13th. All are cordially invited.

Harry Marston, who is staying at Henry Hall's is sick with the measles.

Miss Mary Talbot of Boston is visiting her sister, Mrs. C. E. Cushman.

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Statutes.

Of laws we have a wondrous lot. Writ in the books of yore; Although we don't use what we've got, We're always getting more. —Washington Star.

Her Costume.

"Did you see her bathing at the seashore?" "Yes."

"How was she dressed?" "Mostly in tan."—Milwaukee Sentinel.

Self-Esteem.

Druggist—Huh! You seem to think you are the boss of this establishment.

New Clerk—Oh, no, sir. Druggist—Then why do you talk like a blooming idiot?—Chicago Daily News.

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NOTHING NEW UNDER SUN.

Massage, Buses, Lightning Rods and Glass Houses Ancient.

According to an examiner in the patent office at Washington discovery, like history, repeats itself and this official is disposed to believe that we are not so much ahead of the ancients as it pleases us to think. Many of our discoveries, continues the examiner, are but rediscoveries improved upon, no doubt, but not altered in nature.

For instance, the ancients knew of the lightning conductor, or, at all events, the method of attracting the lightning. Celtic soldiers in a storm used to lie on the ground, first lighting a torch and planting their naked swords in the ground by their side with the point upward. The lightning often struck the point of the sword and passed away without injury to the warrior.

The Romans, too, seem to have known the lightning rod. On the top of the highest tower of the castle of Duno in the Adriatic there was set from time immemorial a long rod of iron. In the stormy weather of summer it served to predict the approach of a tempest. A soldier was always stationed by it when the sea showed threatening signs of storm. From time to time he put the point of his long javelin close to the point of the rod. Whenever a spark passed between the two pieces of iron he rang a bell to warn the fishermen. Gerbert, in the tenth century, invented a plan for diverting the lightning from fields by planting in them long sticks tipped with very sharp lance heads.

In 1662 France was already in possession of omnibuses. The Romans sank artesian wells even in the Sahara. In 1685 Papin published an account of an experiment made by one of his friends who caused flowers to instantaneously. The secret, which was not revealed, lay in the preparation of the ground.

Massage is an ancient practice and was known to the Romans. Paracelsus speaks of moxopathy, saying that like is cured by like, and not contrary by contrary. The speculum, the probe, the forceps, were known in the year 500; indeed, specimens of them have been found in the ruins of Pompeii. Aristotle noticed that sea water could be made drinkable by boiling it and collecting the steam.

The Greeks had a woolen or linen cuirass so closely interwoven as to be impenetrable by the sharpest darts. We moderns have not found out the secret of it. The Romans had better mills than ours for pounding oilives. The Chinese invented iron houses as early as 1200. Glass houses were found among the Picts in Scotland and the Celts in Gaul and many centuries earlier in Siam. Grass cloth was used many hundreds of years ago by the Chinese.

There was a time, and not so long ago, when crossing the ocean seemed quite an undertaking, and the person who had ventured twice or thrice was brave in the eyes of his associates. But, significant of the wandering spirit developed in America within the last decade, a few days ago the writer was speaking with a man, not a professional traveler, who had made 80 trips across; and to the moneyed man or woman of this century a record of from 10 to 20 trips across is not so extraordinary as to cause comment.

With the recent races between the Provence, of the French line, and the Deutschland, of the Hamburg-American line, the two fastest passenger steamers afloat, the eight or ten days formerly spent on the waves between here and Europe have been reduced to a trifle over six, and during these six days the vessel is not only in constant communication with land, but every morning a paper containing brief accounts of the news features of the world is printed and distributed free of charge among the passengers.

Because of their bulk and weight, the large liners are comparatively steady, and few storms of the summer are of sufficient strength to roll or toss them. The broad decks are like small streets, and the dining-rooms and saloons are more like those of a metropolitan hotel than a ship. In place of the stuffy little cabins of old-time ships, the up-to-date liners are equipped with rooms en suite with baths, full-length mirrors and wardrobes, and even the smaller cabins are provided with all the furnishings of a well appointed boudoir. Many of these on the Provence are decorated and furnished in the style of the Louis XVI. period, with upholstery of dainty cream and yellow embroidered silk.

Leslie's.

Wasn't She Mean?

The old maid smiled maliciously. "Which type is the more popular, the blonde or the brunette, Miss Summerrig?" she said.

"I'm sure I don't know," yawned dainty Birdie Summerrig.

"And yet you've had experience in both roles, haven't you?" tittered the mean old thing.

Uses Either Hand.

Justice Philimon is the only judge on the English bench who can boast of being ambidextrous, and it is said to be curious to watch him taking notes in court, using his pen first in one hand and then the other.

Should Say So!

"You have invited me, sir!" "By stealing one kiss?"

"No, sir—by being so evidently satisfied with only one."—Cleveland Leader.

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my country of Russia's purpose. You
are telling me very strange things,"
The American eyed his companion
sharply.

"Warn the United States? I tell
you, it will not matter. All Russia
would need would be a dissatisfied
clerk. What could he not do with half
a million francs?" The diplomat blew
a cloud of smoke through his nostrils
and flipped the end of his cigarette.

"A hundred thousand dollars?"
The diplomat glanced amusedly at
his American friend. "I suppose that
sounds small enough to you rich Amer-
icans. But to a clerk it reads wealth."

The American was silent. A terri-
ble thought flashed through his brain,
a thought that he repulsed almost im-
mediately.

"Of course, I am only speculating;
nothing has been done as yet."

"Then something is going to be
done?" asked the American, clearing
his voice.

"One day or another. If we can not
find the clerk, we shall look higher.
We should consider a million francs
well invested. America is rapidly be-
coming a great power. But let us
drop the subject and turn to some-
thing more agreeable to us both. Your
daughter is charming. I honestly con-
fess to you that I have not met her
equal in any country. Pardon my
presumption, but may I ask if she
is engaged to be married?"

"Not to my knowledge,"—vastly sur-
prised and at the same time pleased.
"Are you averse to foreign al-
liances?" The diplomat dipped the end
of his fresh-lighted cigar into his cof-
fee.

"My dear count, I am not averse to
foreign alliances, but I rather suspect
that my daughter is. This aversion
might be overcome, however."

What a vista was opened to this
wretched father! If only she might
marry rich, how easily he might con-
fess what he had done, how easily all
this despair and terror might be dis-
persed! And here was a man who was
known in the great world, rich, young
and handsome.

The other gazed dreamily at the
ceiling; from there his gaze traveled
about the coffee-room, with its gar-
nering of coffee-drinkers, and at length
came back to his vis-a-vis.

"You will return to Washington?" he
asked.

"I shall live there for the winter;
that is, I expect to."

"Doubtless we shall see each other
this winter, then,"—and the count
threw away his cigar, bade his com-
panion good night, and went to his
room.

How adroitly he had sown the seed!
At that period he had no positive idea
upon what kind of ground he had cast
it. But he took that chance which all
far-sighted men take, and then waited.

There was little he had not
learned about this handsome American
with the beautiful daughter. How he
had learned will always remain dark to
me. My own opinion is that he had
been studying him during his tenure
of office in Washington, and, with that
patience which is making Russia so
formidable, waited for this opportu-
nity.

I shall give the Russian all the jus-
tice of impartiality. When he saw
the girl, he rather shrank from the
affair. But he had gone too far, he
had promised too much; to withdraw
now meant his own defeat, his govern-
ment's anger, his political oblivion.
And there was a zest in this life of his.
He could no more resist the call of
intrigue than a gambler can resist the
croupier's "Make your game, gentle-
men!" I believe that he loved the girl
the moment he set eyes upon her. Her
beauty and bearing distinguished her
from the other women he had met, and
her personality was so engaging that
her conquest of him was complete and
spontaneous. How to win this girl
and at the same time ruin her father
was an embarrassing problem.

The plan which finally came to him re-
pelled again and again, but at length
he surrendered. To get the parent in
his power and then to coerce the girl in
his power was his only chance. To my knowl-
edge this affair was the first dishonor-
able act of a very honorable man.
But love makes fools and rogues of us
all.

When the American returned to the
world, his cigar was out and his coffee
was stale and cold.

"A million francs!" he murmured.
"Two hundred thousand!"
The seed had fallen on fruitful
ground.

CHAPTER XVI.

THE PREVIOUS AFFAIR.

Mrs. Chadwick had completed her
toilet and now stood smiling in a most
friendly fashion at the reflection in
the long oval mirror. She addressed
this reflection in melodious tones.

"Madam, you are really handsome,
and let no false modesty whisper in
your ear that you are not. Few women
in Washington have such clear skin,
such firm flesh, such color. Thirty-
eight? It is nothing. It is but the
half-way post; one has left youth be-
hind, but one has not reached old age.
Time must be very tolerant, for he
has given you a careful selection.
There were no years of storm and
poverty, of violent passions; and if I
have truly loved, it has been you, only
you. You are too wise and worldly
to love any one but yourself. And yet,
once you stood on the precipice of dark
eyes, pale skin, and melancholy
wrinkles. And even now, if he were
to speak . . . Enough! Enough of
this folly. I have something to ac-
complish to-night." She glided from
the boudoir into the small but luxu-
rious drawing-room which had often
been graced by the most notable men
and women in the country.

Karloff threw aside the book of
poems by De Banville, rose, and went
forward to meet her.

"Madam,"—bending and brushing
her hand with his lips, "Madam, you
grow handsomer every day. If I were
40, now, I should fear for your single
blessedness."

"Or, if I were two-and-twenty, in-
stead of eight-and-thirty,"—beginning
to draw on her long white gloves.
There was a challenge in her smile.

"Well, yes; if you were two-and-
twenty."

"There was a time not long ago,"
she said, drawing his gaze as a magnet
draws a needle, "when the disparity
in years was of no matter."

The count laughed. "That was three
years ago; and if my memory serves
me, you smiled."

"Perhaps I was first to smile; that
is all."

"I observe a mental reservation,"—
owlishly.

"I will put it plainly, then. I pre-
ferred to smile over your protestations
rather than see you laugh over the
possibility and the folly of my loving
you."

"Then it was possible?"—with inter-
est.

"Everything is possible . . . and
often absurd."

"How do you know that I was not
truly in love with you?"—narrowing
his eyes.

"It is not explanatory; it can be
given only one name—instinct, which
in women and animals is more fully
developed than in man. Besides, at
that time you had not learned all about
Colonel Annesley, whose guests we are
to be this evening. Whoever would
have imagined a Karloff accepting the
hospitalities of an Annesley? Count
hath not thy rose a canker?"

"Madam! Karloff was frowning."
"Count, you look like a paladin when
you scowl; but scowling never induces
anything but wrinkles. That is why
we women frown so seldom. We smile.
But let us return to your query. Sup-
posing I had accepted your declarations
seriously; supposing you had offered
me marriage in that burst of gratitude;
supposing I had committed the folly
of becoming a countess, what a posi-
tion I should be in to-day!"

"I do not understand,"—perplexedly.
"No?"—shrugging. She held forth a
gloved arm. "Have you forgotten how
gallantly you used to button my
gloves?"

"A thousand pardons! My mind was
occupied with the mystery of your
long supposition." He took the arm
gracefully and proceeded to slip the
pearl buttons through their holes.
(Have you ever buttoned the gloves
of a handsome woman? I have. And
there is a subtle thrill about the pro-
ceeding which I can not quite define.
Perhaps it is the nearness of physical
contact; perhaps it is the delicate scent
of flowers; perhaps it is the touch
of the cool, firm flesh; perhaps it is
just romance.) The gaze which she
bent upon his dark head was emotion-
al; yet there was not the slightest
tremor of arm or fingers. It is possi-
ble that she desired him to observe the
steadiness of her nerves. "What did
you mean?" he asked.

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A Man of Deeds.

"I know my rival has untold acres
of real estate while I have nothing but
the words in which I tell my love;
but—"

"That will do, Mr. Slimpurs; I in-
tend to marry a man of deeds, not of
words."—Houston Post.

Not Romantic.

Mother—You shouldn't have laughed
when Charlie was proposing.
Dora—I couldn't help it, mother;
he was so scared his teeth chattered.
—Detroit Free Press.

Remuneration.

Knicker—How are your boys get-
ting on?
Bocker—One gets a five dollar
salary and the other ten-dollar wages.
—N. Y. Sun.

POOR MOTHER!

Caller—Is your mother at home,
Johnny?
Johnny—Mother is ill, very ill. The
doctor says she has got an eternal
chill.—Scraps.

He Does.

"What looks more ridiculous than
a peck-a-bo, waist?"
"Well, a man in white canvas shoes,
passionate socks and turned-up trou-
sers, smoking a cigarette, crowds it
mightily close."—Houston Post.

For All He Was Worth.

"Yes," said the man who had failed
in business, "I was trying to get into
politics."
"And couldn't you?"
"No; politics got into me."—Hous-
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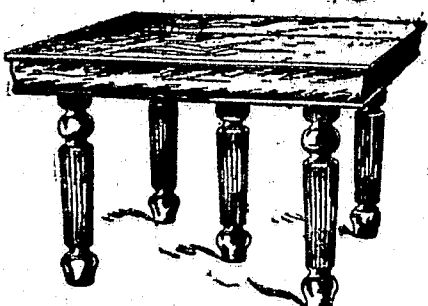
Childish Doubts.
Felix—I don't think poor Toby is
getting along well in the other world
—just look at him when he was alive,
the way the fleas always troubled him
—and now we have had him stuffed,
and the moths are feeding on him.—
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"Yes, while he was wealthy she was
a great spender, but when he became
poor she never left him."
"Guess that's the reason he stayed
poor, isn't it?"—Houston Post.

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November---The Dining Room.



Our \$8.50 Table.

The eleventh month of the year has opened—with a genuine snow flurry—and all the old traditions that go with a New England November are brought back to mind. With November, we think of Thanksgiving, and with Thanksgiving—the dining room. We plan to make it worthy of the turkey.

Your home will be one of the fortunate ones? Of course it will! And whether your dining room improvements are little or big, whether they are expensive or inexpensive, here's to your 1906 Thanksgiving—and may it be a happy one!

November 29th, 1906!

6-ft. Golden Oak Dining Table	\$ 5.00
Golden Oak Sideboard	14.50
6 Dining Chairs	3.90
All Wool Art Square	4.50
Decorated Dinner Set, 12-pcs.	7.75
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Total	\$37.65

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NOTICE.

My books and accounts are in the care of Herriek & Park. No costs will be made on accounts settled before January, 1907.

G. R. Wiley.

PIGS FOR SALE.

Anyone wanting some nice pigs cheap, 6 weeks old, will find them at H. M. FARWELL'S, Bethel, Maine.

DRY WOOD.

We have for sale some first quality dry cord wood, yellow birch and rock maple. Inquire of Hastings Bros.

LOST—Between Bethel and Swan's Quarry, one black dust coat. Finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving same at the News office. 10-24

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. It cures colds, coughs, croup, whooping cough, and all other colds. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25

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Surest and Quickest Cure for all THROAT and LUNG TROUBLES, or MONEY BACK.

REPTILE TO BE DREADED.

South American Snake Whose Bite is Quickly Fatal.

It is more than 20 years since the deadly South American snake known as bushmaster, of which a specimen has just reached the Zoological gardens at London, was last exhibited by the society.

For obvious reasons it is difficult to obtain exact measurements of a live serpent, but the newcomer appears to be about nine feet long. It is evidently partial to moisture, for it has taken possession of a stoneware pan filled with damp moss, which had been placed in the cage for its benefit. The ground-color of its skin is yellowish, and its markings are in the form of dark triangular patches.

The scheme of coloration is bold and renders the creature very conspicuous. This combination of black and yellow is usually present in poisonous reptiles and may thus be taken as a signal of danger. Not only does its large size render the surucucu—to give it its Brazilian name—a most dangerous reptile; its poison fangs are enormous and its bite is quickly fatal. Fortunately for its neighbors this deadly monster is nowhere common.

Where De Quincey Went to Church. St. Peter's church, Manchester, England, which is shortly to be pulled down, is the church which De Quincey attended as a lad and to which there are some entertaining references in "The Confessions of an Opium Eater."

The first rector was De Quincey's tutor, and he possessed apparently a stock of 330 sermons which the pupil confessed became to him "a real instrument of improvement." He only heard half of them, because he attended only the morning services; but he says "Those same 330-2 sermons (lasting only through 16 minutes each) for me became a perfect palaestra of intellectual gymnastics, far better suited to my childish weakness than could have been the sermons of Isaac Barrow or Jeremy Taylor." De Quincey gives his impressions of the opening of the church, which took place when he was in his tenth year. That is now 111 years ago.

First Use of Ice Cream.

Though the ancient Greeks and Romans used ice for table purposes to get through the hot months of summer, they knew nothing of "ices." These were introduced into France from Italy about 1660 and were known at first as "fromages glaces," iced cheeses, although they were made of strawberries and apricots, and contained not a drop of cream. From 1763 the use of "glaces" in the plural was sanctioned by the French academy, but not before 1825 did "une glace" force its way into recognized acceptance. "Ices" are referred to from time to time in the eighteenth century in English people's letters from abroad. "Iced creams," however, were known as early as 1689, and by the middle of the eighteenth century "ice cream" figured in cookery books.

Postmen as Debt Collectors. A debt collecting agency which is run as a part of the regular public postal system is the newest "invention" of the post office of Austria. Despite the novelty of the enterprise, the plan has worked admirably, so that many thousands are collected annually by the postmen throughout the Austrian empire.

WATCH ENGINE RUN

STUDENTS' PATH OF LEARNING MADE EASY.

Device at Columbia University by Which All Parts of a Locomotive in Action Can Be Studied in Workshop.

From the foot of the grand stairs leading up to the library of Columbia university we pass round to the left of the great library and come to the entrance of the school of engineering. We find here lecture rooms, laboratories, drawing rooms and museums, and in connection with these school departments is a pattern shop, a forge and machine shop—in fact, everything a young man needs in learning to be a first-class engineer. We go downstairs and enter a fine, large shop, and there, on its track, stands a passenger locomotive, the Columbia—just such a grand fellow as Kipling's engine hero in his story entitled "0-007."

Here is a locomotive turned schoolmaster. We walk round the grand old fellow and stand before the great driving wheels. Here we are at the edge of a deep pit in the floor. In it we see a pair of massive wheels supported on great timbers. Each wheel is exactly under and rests against one of the great "drivers," and when the drivers move the wheels in the pit move, too, and in this way the engine can move its wheels and yet stand perfectly still. To give perfect security, the first wheels of the engine are blocked up.

By this device it is possible to have an engine "run" at full speed while we sit beside the track and see just how it works. On the road the engine flies along so quickly that it is impossible to see anything, still less learn anything. Think what an immense advantage we have in this school of the locomotive! Here in this quiet, comfortable room we can walk all about the great machine, learn the name and use of every part, and actually see how it works.

The assistant teacher in this school of the locomotive climbs into the cab with several students while a part of the class are studying the action of the pistons in the steam cylinders. Others can study steam-making, the work of the running-gear, or the wheels. One boy can study oiling, while another is studying the use of the air-brake. Again, a boy may flag the train to see if the boy at the lever knows the rules of the road. A dozen boys can thus study an engine turning its wheels at 40 miles an hour in perfect ease and safety, while 50 more can learn much of the lesson by looking on and listening to the explanations of the teacher.

A locomotive is a grand, scientific tool used in a certain way for a certain end. An engineer uses this splendid tool in a scientific way, and he must be himself a man of science. It is not enough to know how to "stop her," or "start her," or run "on time," according to the rules of the road. He must know his engine; know every part; how it is made and used. He should be able to make complete working drawings of the whole machine, from the headlight to the draw-bar. He must know how the steam behaves inside that cylinder and must be able to take the cylinder apart and put it together again. He must know how every part is made and be able instantly to decide when the engine works badly, and why, and be able, as far as possible, to cure its little ills and disorders. He must know it all; must be fireman, machinist, railroad man, engineer and man of science. He must have strong, calm nerves, and must never get confused, or "lose his head," or make mistakes. A hundred lives may depend on his knowledge and skill.

The men who build locomotives in the great shops at Philadelphia see that this is the way to teach. So they made this splendid engine a gift to the university, that in its cab young men and boys can have a better chance to learn to be engineers than did their fathers, who picked up their education on the road.

No more will the Columbia make her 60 miles an hour. Never again will her headlight gleam on the polished rails. Her whistle will never startle the echoes in the mountains or wake the sleepy towns along the river. She is here at rest, and will never go out again along the line. She is here to teach—and to teach is the greatest thing any man or machine can do. Perhaps the captive engine misses the road, and dreams of the lights and signals beside the way, and longs to fly along the track. Or perhaps Columbia knows she is at school, and is really and truly a teacher on the staff of a great university.—Charles O. Barnard, in St. Nicholas.

New Use for Locomotives.

In a small town in Massachusetts recently there occurred what is probably the first instance of the kind on record—a locomotive employed to run a factory. The establishment has grown the power developed by its old plant of boilers, and, not wishing to shut down long enough to install a new battery, the proprietors conceived the plan of availing themselves of use of the surplus locomotives from the shops of a near-by railroad. The engine was a small freight engine. It was side-tracked near the factory. The pipes leading to the cylinder heads were disconnected, and one of them connected to the steam dome of the locomotive, leading therefrom to the engine room of the factory. The plan was perfectly successful.

HARMFUL STOMACH DOSING.

No Need of It When Hyomei Is Used to Cure Catarrh.

Physicians and scientists agree that the less medicine one swallows, the better. It is in keeping with this idea that Hyomei is recommended by leading physicians throughout this and other catarrhal sections.

When this treatment is used in catarrhal troubles, there is no stomach dosing, for the medicine is taken in with the air you breathe, and goes right to the spot where the catarrhal germs are present, healing the inflamed and irritated mucous membrane, killing the disease germs and entering the blood with the oxygen, driving all catarrhal germs from the system.

Do not try to cure catarrh of the head by putting medicine into your stomach,—this is neither a scientific nor common-sense treatment. Breathe the healing balsams of Hyomei and in a few days you will notice relief, and its continued use will result in a complete and lasting cure.

W. E. Bosserman has seen so many cures made by Hyomei amongst his customers, several of them cases where all hope of relief had been given up, that he gives an absolute guarantee of cure, or money will be refunded, with every outfit he sells.

The complete Hyomei outfit costs but \$1, while extra bottles of Hyomei, if needed, are only 50 cents.

WHY THE PASTOR RAN.

Wise Action That Greatly Astonished Congregation.

One of the traditional stories of the town of Fairchild, Conn., recounts a wild dash from the pulpit made by a worthy and beloved pastor of the Episcopal flock, Dr. Labarre.

It was on a Sunday more than a hundred years ago. The service had been read. The prayers said, the hymns sung and the parson began his sermon. As he proceeded his gestures became more energetic. He brought his right hand down with great force. Then he turned pale, cleared the pulpit stairs at a bound, dashed out the church door and ran toward the pond a short distance away.

The congregation followed in bewildered pursuit, and saw their venerable pastor with flying robe rush into the water until it came to his neck. Then turning round he faced his astonished audience and said:

"Dearly beloved brethren, I am not crazy, as no doubt many of you think, but yesterday at the drug store I bought a bottle of nitric acid and carelessly left it in my pocket to-day."

"My last gesture broke the bottle. I knew the suffering the acid would cause when it penetrated my clothing, and rushed for the water to save myself pain."

He drew several pieces of glass from his pocket in witness of the tale. Then he dismissed the company and hurried home.—Youth's Companion.

DOG JEALOUS OF A GANDER.

Goes to Extreme Lengths to Show His Animosity.

Martin Hannan, of Joy street, Orange, has a dog which has developed the supposedly human trait of jealousy to such a degree that he will eat grass to spite his enemy, says the New York Press. The dog, a big, 50-pound brindled bull terrier, is ordinarily chained in the back yard. Close beside him a peaceful old gander is penned in with wire fencing. The gander is the last of a flock, and has survived as a pet.

The dog is so inordinately jealous of the gander that if any one goes up and talks to it he will bark angrily. If the visitor adds to the insult by giving the poor old bird something to eat, the terrier will leap the fence like lightning, snatch the food and gobble it down. To such incredible lengths will his jealousy go in this respect that the neighbors have tested it by throwing grass to the gander. The dog will seize the grass and actually swallow it in his anxiety to keep it from the gander. The gander gives one lamentable squawk as he sees the dog leap the fence, and then retires shudderingly to a corner.

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Sometimes So.
"So Flocks went back to his first love, I wonder why."
"She was the only one that would have him."—Detroit Free Press.

Up to Her.
"Is she in society?"
"Well, just a sort of probationer, she has never been divorced yet."—Houston Post.

Future of Poultry Keeping.
The future of poultry keeping will be chiefly in the hands of "the intelligent farmer's intelligent daughter," according to the author of a recent English book on "Poultry Farming," he declares also that poultry farming suffers from the drawback of not yet having been proved to pay.

Lizzie Stearns 8 Jan 06

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HEAVY FLANNELETTE WRAPPERS in gray choice designs in figure stripes, front trimmed twelve tucks, fitted back two box-plaits from n waist line, with belt, effect of shirt waist suit.

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